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HARMONY WITH BIG H AMONG REPUBLICANS.

State League Convention Gets Down to Business Without Sensational Developments of Any Sort.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN JOSE, April 14—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The opening day of the biennial convention of the State League of Republican Clubs has finally come and gone, and the delegates are breathing more freely tonight.

One well-known member of the Southern California contingent expressed in his own way something of the pervading feeling when he said that he had not felt so good in a long time as he feels tonight. And Maj. Diss and Teddy's Terrors feel the same way.

As a matter of fact, nobody has captured the works. While enthusiasm was loud and long, and nearly all Gage's, the silence on the part of a great number of delegates was also prolonged and somewhat "speaking," which boded no good to the Gage cause. Some of the shrewd observers are saying tonight that it is a good thing that this convention is "not a nominating convention," or it might not nominate. There is a show of weakness on all sides, and hence Harmony with a capital H. It was a "love feast," even though the "push" did get a large number of places on the committees, and though Grove Johnson did his level best to stampede the convention for Gage.

TEDDY'S TERRORS IN IT.

Maj. Diss and Teddy's Terrors came more nearly solving the gubernatorial problem when they spread a beautiful little feast in Music Hall of the Vendome Hotel tonight, at which Edson, Pardee, Preston and Gen. Stone, all of whom have been spoken of as possible gubernatorial candidates, were present and made brief responses to flattering toasts proposed by Chief Buster Diss, but at which Gage and Flint were not present. These latter were in San Francisco. The Terrors showed that they, at least, considered all candidates present as on an equal footing, though Maj. Diss's complimentary references to Pardee provoked the most applause from those who dined and wined, but it was a day of great "harmony."

To one critically observing the situation, the tense feeling of apprehension with which the delegates approached the moment of letting loose the flow of oratory, was almost comical, in view of the fact that this is "not a nominating convention." Ice water, which was liberally dispensed by boys with trays of filled glasses, was eagerly consumed, and there were many who longed for fans.

HAIL THE NOMINEE.

That charming discovery in a verse of the "Booster Club" of San Francisco water-front employés, who are here in the interest of Reynolds for Supreme Court clerk, and which they chanted at all possible intervals—

"Hail, hail, hail the nominee!
What the hail do we care?
What the hail do we care?
"Hail, hail, hail the nominee!
What the hail do we care?
We hail the nominee!"

was received with chuckles of laughter that was almost hysterical and betrayed fear that Harmony with a great H might get one-sided and tip the convention Flintward or Gageward and the nominee whom the "Boosters" might hail would not be one desired by the respective sides.

It is safe to guess that the State convention will be composed of delegates strictly lined up, if the situation remains as it was today. If the Grand Army veterans had the balance of power last night, the San Francisco clubs held it today. The Republican Alliance and Abe Ruef's Primary League exchanged the compliments of the season and two bands played alternately to help out on enthusiasm, but something was lacking.

SACRAMENTO ROOTERS.

The Sacramento delegation of State employés were the only ones that seemed thoroughly in earnest, and the way they whooped it up and set the convention wild when Grove Johnson, from the platform, named the respective candiates and got down to Gage, was enlivening, if not encouraging to the friends of good government. But, on the other hand, when Secretary Al Lindley read a long letter from Gov. Gage to the convention, expressing regrets for non-attendance, there was a very noticeable lack of enthusiasm in the body of the house.

The Los Angeles delegates seated on the floor of the hall and Army and Navy League members among those seated on the platform, were noticeable for their generally dignified appearance, and they made their presence felt in the convention. The only speaker from south of the Tehachepi, save a delegate from San Diego, was Rev. Will A. Knighten of Los Angeles, and it was with pleasure that those from the leading Southern California counties noted the cordial manner in which Rev. Knighten's extempore remarks were received by the convention.

REV. KNIGHTEN'S SPEECH.

Vice-President Clio Lloyd of Santa Barbara was in the chair temporarily, and he introduced the speaker by referring to him as "the politician preacher of Los Angeles."

Now, if there is anything in the world that a political gathering does not care to listen to, it is a preacher, and the effect of Rev. Knighten's really distinguished appearance among ready to speak, can only be judged by the fact that he won the sympathetic feeling of the great audience and their hearty applause as he replied to the temporary chairman's well-meant remark by saying he did not see why he was called a "political preacher."

"I am," he said, "a citizen of the United States, and should be interested in the welfare of the State and country."

Rev. Mr. Knighten said he crossed the plains with his parents in '49, and enlisted in the army of the war of the rebellion from Mendocino county. "My heroic efforts in the defense of the country," he continued, in his semi-humorous explanation of his connection with politics, "was in this State. At that time there was a great issue in the State, and the Republican party kept California in the Union. There are men present who remember that fight. I entered the old Union League Association as soon as I was of age, and soon after enlisted in the army."

A JIBE AT SAN JOSE.

Generally speaking, the delegates do not feel so overfriendly to San José in respect to their entertainment, and Rev. Knighten brought out approving laughter by saying his party passed through here thirty-three years ago, and the people of San José refused to let them build a fire because they were afraid they would burn the town.

He eloquently declared that the Republican party had been a party for every great crisis in the history of the country. "It defended and preserved the Union and the flag in the Civil War," he said. "It was called to the front in the war with Spain and maintained the integrity and honor of the country, and made its ensign the proudest among the ensigns of the world. The fact of this nation being today a world power is due to the loyalty and courage of the Republican party." [Applause.]

He did not go aside to other parties, he said, because he wanted to work with strong men in behalf of strong principles. He hoped that the Republican party would continue to stand as the representative of the institutions of this country in the future, making it an honor and blessing to the world. He believed in Republican institutions, he said, because of its history and achievements, and he would continue to pray for its success.

Rev. Knighten's speech was applauded generously, and had undoubtedly a mollifying effect upon the convention at a critical period.

MAKE-UP OF COMMITTEES.

In the make-up of the committees, President Anderson endeavored to conciliate all factions as far as he knew how. On the Committee on Credentials, which was headed by Frank Schmitz, brother of San Francisco's Mayor, the representatives from the new Seventh Congress District, which is Los Angeles county, were Col. C. F. Derby of the Army and Navy Republican League of Los Angeles; F. M. Chapman, president of the McKinley Club of Covina, and C. E. Washburn of Los Angeles, secretary of the former Sixth Congress District League.

It had been anticipated that a bitter fight would arise between the San Francisco factions, owing to Martin Kelly's vigorous work in organizing Republican clubs ostensibly against Gage, but owing to the selection of Schmitz by Anderson, as representative-at-large on the committee, and the tact of State Senator Taylor of Alameda county, who was chosen as secretary of the committee, harmony remained unimpaired and all proxies were allowed to be filed as per the official roll of the clubs of the convention, for it was again broadly hinted that this is "not a nominating convention."

MORE HARMONY.

More harmony developed when Luther G. Brown of Los Angeles was placed on the Committee on Order of Business, [illegible] representatives on [illegible] Senator Flint, Judge Gaylord Wilshire and J. Cooper the wife-beater. All resolutions will be referred to committee without debate, despite the efforts of delegates to have them read in convention as introduced.

Maj. Diss was loud in his indignation because F. K. Rule of Los Angeles had not been given a place on the Committee on Credentials, though it was pointed out to him that it would hardly be fair to the county delegates to appoint all three members from the Seventh District from Los Angeles City. As a compromise and as a compliment to Mr. Rule, a movement was started to make him delegate-at-large from the league to the next National Convention of the League, the time and place for which will be decided tomorrow.

Sacramento appears to be the only candidate in the field for the State League Convention in 1904, and Chief Clerk Hadley of the State Printer's Office, who is active in behalf of the Capital city, thinks it is conceded to that place.

The slate for officers of the league appears unbroken. E. J. Fleming of Pomona will probably be nominated for the South for assistant secretary.

The new Seventh District League will meet tomorrow noon and organize and elect officers.

CONVENTION OPENED.

HARMONIOUS BEGINNING.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN JOSE, April 14.—The first day's session of the greatest convention ever held by the California League of Republican Clubs, was in all respects worthy of the grand gathering. The convention proper adjourned about 4 o'clock this afternoon after the announcement of the committees. These committees are, Platform and Resolutions, Order of Business, Next Place of Meeting and McKinley Memorial. Each committee, but the last, consists of twenty members, one from the State at large and three from each Congress District. The committee on McKinley Memorial consists of only nine members, one at large and one from each of the Congress districts.

The only proceedings of the convention here, so far has been marked by the utmost harmony and good feeling. The only sign of a contest arose this afternoon when O. A. Hale of San José made a motion that the chair appoint a committee of twenty-five, one from the State at large and three from each district, on platform and resolutions.

Gen. George Stone offered an amendment to this to the effect that all resolutions be referred to the committee without reading.

Here it looked for a time as if a fight might develop on the floor of the convention. Hale accepted the amendment and made it a part of his motion.

S. Shoben of San Francisco opposed th esendment and held that there were many in the convention who might wish to present resolutions, and they were entitled to have them read from the floor. He was backed by a material following, and calls were made for a vote on the amendment.

The point of order was made that it was the original motion, and this was sustained by the chair.

On a vote the yeas apparently had the majority, but before the chair announced the result, a division was called for. It was clear on a rising vote that the motion had a big majority, and it was so decided, and with

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News Under to The Times This Morning

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Part II.

1. New Tactics of the Supper Thief.
3. Financial and Commercial.
4. Our Neighboring Counties.
5. Los Angeles County News.

CLASSIFIED NEWS SYNOPSIS.

THE CITY. Milkmen's Union declares war on new price-cutting concern.....Poor man robbed of his cork leg.....Five thousand dollars found in drunken rounder's pocket....Complaint to be issued today against packers of poisoned olives....Hank Griffin in a bout at Catalina....Y.M.C.A. banquet and new building talk....New superintendent for Los Angeles division of Southern Pacific....Water board opens bids for new work....License applicants before Board of Supervisors having hard luck....Irrigation Committee full of courage and dinner....Federal Grand Jury appointed...Supreme Court opens here....Pacific Electric Company gets franchise in Sixth Ward....Printing contract goes over....Will be no water rate collectors....On Ling Sing held for trial for murder....Widney must stand trial for robbery in bagnio....Sacramento ball team coming Thursday....Suit begun against President Kuehnrich of Los Angeles Brewing Company....O. P. Warren insane.

SPORTS. Upset at Oakland....Memphis summary....Spalding proposes a baseball supreme court....American jockeys win in Paris....Competition for strong college men.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Riverside people triumph over Miller-Morse-Mills "push" at the polls....South Pasadena election a progressive victory. Jewelry and money burglaries in San Bernardino county....Santa Monica elects one-year officers....Monrovia officials reelected....Large vote at Redlands....Improvement era in Avalon, Pomona's attractive souvenir out...Orange county abductor en route to England....Randsburg woman paralyzed while praying....Citizens' ticket wins in Whittier....Mixed election in San Pedro....Covina keeps "dry"....Spirited contest in San Luis Obispo....Prohibitionists win in Long Beach.

COAST. Duel in Tuolumne....Injured by a fall....Japanese robbed. Decision relating to mining taxes. Carpenter murdered....Shipwreck on northwest coast....Preparing for presentation of Sophocles's "Antigone." Republican League Convention at San José.

WASHINGTON. Prospects for Los Angeles public building brighter. Chinese exclusion debate in Senate. Cuban reciprocity in House....Stir in military circles over proposed retirement of Miles....Gov. Dole not to be ousted....Desert-land frauds being investigated....Merger case in Supreme Court.

GENERAL EASTERN. Actress Laura Biggar heir of millionaire. Three American generals to be Kaiser's guests....Chicago society women snub British nobleman....Turfman Haggin transplanting California forest trees in Kentucky....Brutal murder of two children....President's large life insurance....St. Louis Fair gossip....Boy condemned to exile....Young counterfeiter arrested.

FOREIGN. Edna May mashes Indian Prince....Gen. Grant's daughter queen of French horse show....Croker becomes Lord of Wantage Manor. General strike in Belgium....Severe fighting in South Africa—Terms the Boers would accept....Germany's colonies expensive....English budget presented.

WASHINGTON.

BARD TO RESCUE.

Our Public Building Looking Up.

Appropriation Prospects Much Brighter.

Chairman Mercer Will Take Subject Up Again.

Senate Debates Exclusion Bill and House Considers Cuban Tariff.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, April 14.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Senator Bard today called upon Representative Mercer, chairman of the House Public Buildings Committee, and discussed with him again the absolute business necessity of making an additional appropriation for the Los Angeles public building. Since this interview and since some other things have happened, the chances for justice being done this building project are looking up very noticeably.

Before Senator Bard's interview with him, Mr. Mercer today said that he was having a hard struggle with the Treasury Department over this appropriation. "I had about made up my mind," said Mr. Mercer, "but the Treasury Department has been at me and has made me sort of reconsider the case, and I shall make another decision right away, certainly before the end of this week, for we are to report our bill before this week ends.

"I want to do what is fair and reasonable by Los Angeles," continued Mr. Mercer, "and inasmuch as the Treasury Department tells me that it will be a waste of money to put up an addition to the present building, I shall go over the matter very carefully. They tell me that it is not going to take so very much money to make an entirely new building."

After Mr. Mercer had said this, Senator Bard saw him, and, reinforced with the local coloring what the Treasury Department has been telling Mercer. As the result of this conference, Mercer told Bard that he would get right down to business and settle the whole thing regarding Los Angeles right away—within a day or two.

This news is good news, for it was about settled last week that the Los Angeles building scheme was being left out in the cold. That was when McLachlan, in his poor, weak, complaining way, was pegging along on the job. But when the Treasury Department itself gets onto the firing line and declares over and over again that here is a case where it will be a waste of public money not to make an additional appropriation, things look up somewhat.

It has been intended to keep the public buildings bills down to an aggregate of $10,000,000; that intention has gone a-glimmering, and Representatives now piously declare that the bill, as reported from the House committee, will not exceed $20,000,000. Then it is estimated that at the Senate end of the Capitol some pet schemes will be tacked on, so when the bill gets to its final passage, it will carry appropriations footing up almost, if not quite, $30,000,000.

TRADUCED SCHLEY.

NO REWARD FOR POTTS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, April 14.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Another positive step in the direction of preventing a revival of the Schley controversy is attributed to the President in the Navy Department's reversal today of the determination to detail Lieutenant-Commander Templin Morris Potts as naval attaché at Berlin, Vienna and Rome.

Lieutenant-Commander Potts was watch and division officer on the battleship Massachusetts, and will be remembered as the only naval officer on the battleship who accused Rear-Admiral Schley of personal cowardice in the testimony before the court in inquiry last October. Since that investigation Potts has been attached to the receiving ship Richmond at Philadelphia, awaiting the expiration of the term of Commander William Beehler, who has been stationed in Germany the last three years. The decision to have Potts succeed Beehler was authoritatively announced at the Navy Department Saturday, the change to be made immediately.

Today it is declared no change will be made for some time, and that in no event will Comander Potts go to Europe or to any duty that might be construed as rewarding him for his testimony at the Schley court.

NOT YET PROVEN.

CHARGES AGAINST NEWHALL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, April 14.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Representatives Needham and Metcalf of California have not thus far proven their charges against Charles S. Newhall, a superintendent of forest reserves in California, whose removal from office they have asked on the ground that he is incompetent and neglects his duties. When the charges made by Needham and Metcalf came before Land Commissioner Hermann, copies of them were sent to Newhall for answer, and he answered them to the satisfaction of Mr. Hermann, and papers have been sent to Secretary of the Interior bearing indorsements favor... hall. It is expected that ... Metcalf will now ask re... before Secretary Hitchcock, ... declares that he knows Ne... incompetent and neglectful, ... he feels compelled in the int... the public service, to continue ... mand his removal.

NEW CIRCUIT JUDGE.

PLACE FOR NORTHERN ...

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TI...

WASHINGTON, April 14.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Senate ... Committee today made a favor... port upon the bill introduced ... tor Perkins providing for a ne... for the Ninth Judicial Circuit, ... are now three judges on this ... and when it became known th... other Judge was to be appoi... fewer than twenty-four candi... peared from California. The ... ment, however, will not go ... State, as in the present court, ... threes judges, two, Ross and ... are from California. Judge ... from Oregon. It has been ... that the new judge will come ... State of Washington.

GEN. MILES DOOMED TO RETI...

PRESIDENT'S DETE... HAS CREATED A SE...

Military Circles Much E... the Semi-Official Annou... a Change in the Head of ... Imminent.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO TH...

WASHINGTON, April 14.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The President's semi-official announcement ... tends to retire Gen. Mi... command of the army, ha... first-rate sensation among ... and among Senators. Of ... been understood that Roo... retire Miles, but the possib... case were considered not to ... past the "might" stage at ... and statesmen and soldiers ... rather thought that when it came ... final show-down the President ... see political trouble ahead and ... two Presidents before him have d... leave Miles alone.

But Roosevelt is not going to ... thing of that sort. His ... men here today say that ... tolerate such a condition ... has made up his mind ... thing: That to retain ... is not for the good of the ... that he cannot stultify himself ... like one man, with ... power, in office against ... when he is causing men with ... litical power to be discharged for ... competency, or because they do not perform their duties to his satisfaction. Roosevelt will not make fish of one and flesh of another, simply because of political expediency, and so Miles must go.

There may be some trouble over the appointment of the man nominated to succeed Miles. This will be so because several members of the Senate are personal friends of Miles and have been his supporters for years. They will probably merely grumble over the appointment of Gen. Brooks or Gen. Young, should either one of them be nominated, whereas they would undoubtedly protest against such a man as Gen. Leonard Wood, simply because he is a young man and there is a feeling in Washington that the President likes to force old men out of all lines of the government service and put young men in their places.

Gen. Miles today refused to talk about his coming forced retirement, but his friends in the army came to his rescue against the statements that Gen. Miles had forced the retirement of Gen. Ord in order to facilitate his own advancement. Gen. Miles's friends say that Gen. Ord's retirement was a great surprise to Gen. Miles and to his uncle by marriage, Gen. W. T. Sherman, and a source of considerable embarrassment to the former.

The circumstances under which Gen. Miles became a brigadier-general are well remembered by the older men in the War Department. Gen. Myer died August 24, 1880. He was then Chief of the Signal Corps. This made a vacancy in the rank of brigadier-general, but in the staff department, Gen., then Col., Miles, was an applicant for the vacancy. President Hayes was very friendly to him. Miles had been a colonel for fourteen years, and at the time was perhaps the most conspicuous officer in the army, and the most popular, especially in the West. He had just captured Chief Joseph and made a memorable Indian campaign, from the southern to the northern boundary line of the United States. Upon receiving Miles's application for the vacant generalship, President Hayes asked him if he would prefer a position in the line instead of on the staff. Miles told the President he would like to have a promotion and believed he could do well with the signal corps, but naturally could make no conditions. Thus the matter stood when Garfield, then President-elect, went to President Hayes and asked him to appoint Hazen brigadier-general and Chief of the Signal Corps. President Hayes was then anxious to secure the appointment of Stanley Matthews to the Supreme bench, and he agreed with Garfield to appoint Hazen brigadier-general, with the understanding that Matthews was later on to be made a justice of the Supreme Court.

Gen. Hazen was appointed December 15, 1880, and at a later day President Garfield fulfilled his part of the agreement. In December President Hayes, to the surprise of Col. Miles and Gen. W. T. Sherman, also retired Gen. Ord, then in command of the Department of Texas. Gen. Sherman went immediately to President Hayes and made an earnest protest against the retirement of Ord. President Hayes said he wanted to make Miles a brigadier-general, and that there were other reasons for the retirement of Ord. Gen. Sher-

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BELGIUM.

STRIKE ON IN BELGIUM.

Good Order Maintained in Brussels.

Absence of Police is Helpful to Peace.

No Reports of Grave Disturbances Received Except from Huy.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BRUSSELS, April 14.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The day passed here in perfect tranquillity. Several meetings were held in the suburbs during the evening. M. Vander Velde and other Socialist leaders made violent speeches this evening, but order was maintained. This fact was mainly due to the conspicuous absence of the police, especially the gendarmerie, whose excess of zeal has been the chief cause of collisions during the past few days.

The Civic Guard formed in cordons around the Maison du Peuple, and their sensible attitude kept the crowd in good humor.

Dispatches received here from the mining and industrial regions indicate the existence of a serious situation with regard to the strike. This has even extended to the textile workers at Ghent. Except from Huy, no reports of grave disturbances have been received. At Huy the striking quarrymen had an encounter with the gendarmes, in which several men on both sides were injured. One gendarme was fatally wounded and another escaped by swimming the river.

The Socialists announced today that they would interpellate the government tomorrow on the brutality of the police of Brussels.

A feeling prevails here tonight that the government may make a decisive declaration on the subject of revision.

No credence is given here to the report of the existence of a plot against King Leopold at Biarritz. His Majesty returned from Biarritz to Brussels because his presence was needed here, and because public opinion in view of the present situation, on the resumption of Parliament tomorrow, expected him to return.

BIG STRIKE BEGUN.

CHARLEROI THE CENTER.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BRUSSELS, April 14.—[By Atlantic Cable.] A dispatch from La Louvier, a town in the province of Hainaut, announces that, in accordance with the decision of the labor leaders, a general strike has commenced in the coal mines, glass works and factories of the central district, including Marlemont and Bascoup.

Advices from Liege say that a general strike has been started in the coal mines of the Seraing district and at the Kettin foundries at Soiessin.

The quarrymen of the Amble Valley have also struck. There has been rioting at Poul, where the convent of the Little Sisters of the Poor has been stoned.

From Mons, troops have started for different points in the Borings district.

At Cuesmes, a town in the province of Hainaut, five thousand strikers assembled around the State arsenal, with the object of stopping work.

The weavers of Ghent are ceasing work, and a general strike of the weaving trade, it is said, will be declared tomorrow. A great strike has commenced at Charleroi, where 7000 of the 40,000 coal miners already have stopped work. A general strike has been declared in most of the large boot and shoe factories. Active measures have been taken to enable the soldiers to reinforce the police at a moment's notice at any point required.

There has been thus far today no question of proclaiming martial law. Such a step cannot be taken in Belgium without special legislative action.

Thirty-five thousand troops are distributed in the agitated regions.

Brussels is perfectly quiet. There are no signs of the strike in the center of the town, but a number of strikes have occurred in the factories situated in the suburbs.

MARCHING TACTICS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BRUSSELS, April 14.—Bands of strikers at Charleroi later in the day paraded the streets and the surrounding country, closing the workshops and factories where employés had not joined the strike. They succeeded in shutting up all the metal factories, most of the glass works and a number of other establishments. The same tactics are beginning to be adopted at Jumet and Rox.

ST. LOUIS FAIR.

President Francis Says Opening of Big Show Will not Be Postponed More Than a Year.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. LOUIS, April 14.—President David R. Francis of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company in answer to the numerous statements that the world's fair would not open in 1903, as provided, but that it would be postponed, made this statement to the Associated Press today:

"Neither the board of directors nor the Executive Committee has taken any formal action concerning a postponement of the exposition. It seems impossible to prevent agitation on the subject. Personally, I should prefer the exposition to be held in 1904.

"We are making excellent progress in the physical work, and, although we have met with some slight disappointment in promotion and exploitation, we have every reason to be encouraged by the present status. As stated by me Saturday, our contracts and expenses up to this time are in excess of our available funds. We cannot expect an additional payment from the stockholders before September 2. We have collected 50 per cent. of the $5,000,000 subscriptions, and that amounts to only $2,500,000, which is much less than the aggregate of expenditures and outstanding contracts. We are therefore depending on the proceeds of the sale of the city bonds, which the Mayor and the Controller have informed me will be advertised in the near future and sold during the first half of May.

"If, in the judgment of the local company, approved by the National Commission, Congress and the administration, any postponement is thought necessary, that step will be taken in due time, but under no circumstances would the board of directors, or anyone connected officially with the exposition consider for a moment a postponement to 1905, which, according to the morning papers, Santos-Dumont has stated has been decided upon."

CONFERENCE WITH TAFT.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CINCINNATI (O.) April 14.—Gov.-Gen. Taft of the Philippines will go to St. Louis tomorrow to confer with President Francis and other exposition officers. Later in the week he will leave for Washington and New York.

THE PHILIPPINES.

SENATORS INFORMED AS TO "WATER CURE."

FORCED CONFESSION FROM A TREACHEROUS PRESIDENTE.

Surgeon Kept Close Watch on Man During Operation—Soldier Saw the Filipino Next Day Apparently None the Worse for His Experience.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, April 14.—The Senate Committee on the Philippines began the week with an intention of making an investigation of the charges to the effect that the "water cure" is practiced on the insurgents, and Charles S. Reilly of Northampton, Mass., formerly a sergeant in Co. M, Twenty-sixth Volunteer Infantry, was the first witness called with that end in view.

Reilly said that he had been in the Philippines from October 25, 1899, to March 4, 1901. In reply to questions by Senator Rawlins, he said he had witnessed the "water cure" at Igbaris, in the province of Iloilo on October 18, 1900. It was administered to the presidente, or chief Filipino official of the town.

He said that upon the arrival of his command at Igbaris the presidente was asked if runners had been sent out notifying insurgents of their presence, and upon his refusal to give the information, he was taken to the convent where the witness was stationed, and the water cure was administered to him.

This official was, he said, a man about 40 years old. When he (the witness,) first saw him he was standing in the corridor of the convent, stripped to the waist, and his hands tied behind him with Capt. Glenn and Lieut. Conger of the Regular army, and Dr. Lyons, a contract surgeon, standing near, while many soldiers stood about. The man, he said, was then thrown under a water tank which held about one hundred gallons of water, and his mouth placed directly under the faucet, and held open so as to compel him to swallow the water which was allowed to escape from the tank. Over him stood an interpreter repeating one word, which the witness said he did not understand, but which he believed to be the native equivalent of "confess."

When at last the presidente agreed to tell what he knew, he was released and allowed to start away. He was not, however, permitted to escape, and upon refusing to give further information, he was again taken as he was about to mount his horse, and the cure administered for the second time. This time the man was not stripped, nor was he taken into the building. Dr. Lyons said the water could be brought to the spot and given there, and when it was brought in a seven-gallon can, one end of a syringe was placed in it, and the other in the man's mouth. As he still refused, a second syringe was brought, and one end of it placed in the prostrate man's nose. He still refused, and a handful of salt was thrown into the water. This had the desired effect, and the presidente agreed to answer all questions.

On cross examination by Republican Senators, Reilly said the "cure" had been first used to compel the presidente to reveal his own attitude, and that it had been learned from his confession that while he professed to be friendly to the United States, he was in reality a captain of the insurgent forces, and that his police were all soldiers. As a consequence of this exposure he was arrested and the town burned. He said that the victim struggled fiercely while the cure was being administered, and that his eyes were bloodshot, but that the next day when he saw the man he observed no ill effects of the "dose" he had received.

Senator Burrows, referring to the surgeon in charge, said: "Did anyone shoot him?"

The witness replied in the negative.

The second administration had been given to compel the information as to runners.

Reilly also said he had known of many cruelties and indignities practiced upon American soldiers by natives.

Another witness, William L. Smith of Athol, Mass., who was a private in Co. M, Twenty-sixth Volunteer Infantry, corroborated Reilly's testimony, saying he had also witnessed the torture of two policemen of the town of Igbaris. Smith said the details of the cure were in the hands of a squad of the Sixteenth Regular Infantry, known as the "water-cure detail." He also said that he had assisted in the burning of the town of Igbaris, and that the natives generally escaped from their houses only with the clothes they wore.

Smith expressed the opinion that Igbaris had a population of 10,000. So far as he knew no lives were lost. The witness said that the country places in the vicinity also were burned. All these acts were done under the command of Capt. Glenn, who was, he said, judge-advocate of the Department of the Visayas. He said the water was kept running four or five minutes, and that the doctor in charge frequently placed his hand on the man's heart, as if to observe its effect upon that organ.

The committee adjourned until tomorrow.

EXILE HIS PUNISHMENT.

Strange Sequel of the Plot of a Schoolboy Against the Life of One of His Playmates.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, April 14.—As a sequel of the confession of Leonard Robinson, the fourteen-year-old schoolboy, that he had plotted to murder his playmate, Jessie Danes, an appeal probably will be made to the Governor to prevent the carrying out of the agreement. The lad was banished to a lonely hut overlooking Shinnecock Bay, L. I., thirty-five miles from his home, and is to remain there three years. The boy boy spends his time clamming and duck shooting.

There is no law, it is admitted by those who were at interest in the case, for such a punishment. It was simply a "concession" made by the father of the girl he plotted to assassinate, when the boy's father and mother begged that he would not push the case and send their son to a reformatory or a lunatic asylum. The "compromise" was reached out of court, and Judge Conklin consented to the remarkable arrangement. The boy has become tired of his part in the agreement, and violated it by visiting his mother. He was severely reprimanded by the authorities, and was hurried back to his hut. Now there is talk of an appeal to the Governor.

PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, April 14.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A light frost early this morning and skies partly obscured by clouds today made the northwest wind feel much more chilly than yesterday, though the temperature remained about the same. The maximum was 38. Like conditions are predicted for tomorrow. Temperatures in other cities at 7 a.m.: New York, 44; Boston, 46; Philadelphia, 46; Washington, 44; Minneapolis, 28; Cincinnati, 38; St. Louis, 44.

PHILANTHROPIST'S BIRTHDAY.

D. K. Pearsons, who has given away several million dollars to small colleges of the country, celebrated his eighty-second birthday today, and was the recipient of many gifts from friends and neighbors.

FIRST TRANSFER CASE.

The Union Traction Company today won the first of the transfer cases which the city is bringing in against it. In Justice Wood's court it took a jury less than three minutes to decide that there was no reason whatever for fining the company because it refused to grant a transfer from the Austin lines of the Consolidated Traction Company to its own Madison-street cable. Assistant Corporation Counsel Goodwin was not at all discouraged at the result, and will keep right on prosecuting others of the 500 cases already begun against the company.

WILL GET PNEUMATIC TUBES.

Under the terms of the Postoffice Appropriation bill passed by Congress, Chicago is entitled to the twenty miles of pneumatic tubes to facilitate the transmission of mails between the postoffice and depots and substations.

LOVE LAUGHS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. JOSEPH (Mo.) April 14.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] D. B. Kirk, Jr., of Kansas City, manager of the Pillsbury agency, and formerly a Board of Trade operator at Chicago, is said to be evading the irate parents of pretty Miss Eva Tays, with whom he eloped from this city Saturday. Young Kirk will be transferred to Chicago, and that point will be the future home of the young couple. His father is said to be one of the principal owners of the Pillsbury mills at Minneapolis.

OBJECT TO COLOR LINE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PEORIA (Ill.) April 14.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Peoria Woman's Club this afternoon went on record in opposition to further agitation of the color question, and as opposed to the proposition to exclude negro women from the national federation. While the Peoria delegates will go to Los Angeles uninstructed, they know the sense of their club.

CASE ESTATE CLAIMANTS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

KANKAKEE (Ill.) April 14.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Four Case brothers, farmers living near this city, are claimants to a portion of a $10,000,000 estate left by Leonard Case of Cleveland, O., who is believed to have been their bachelor uncle.

DENNY HAD SMALLPOX.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LA SALLE (Ill.) April 14.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Edward Denny of Peru, son of Alderman Denny, while suffering from smallpox, which was diagnosed by Peru physicians as chickenpox, was married to Miss Carrie Haim of that city on Friday. Two hundred guests were exposed to the malady.

STONE BACK HOME.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MILWAUKEE (Wis.) April 14.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Lieut.-Gov. Stone, who was at the Presbyterian Hospital in Chicago for a time, is now at his home at Watertown. He is suffering with nervous dyspepsia, complicated with other troubles. He is reported to be weak, but gaining.

HIGH SCHOOL GIRL ELOPES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SOUTH BEND (Ind.) April 14.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Sue Stettler, aged 18, a student of the High School here, has eloped with Robert Howell of the South Bend Commercial College. Miss Stettler left home Saturday and met her lover at Elkhart. The couple were married in Benton Harbor, Mich.

GIFT TO Y.M.C.A.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BELVIDERE (Ill.) April 14.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Through ministers of the city, a man, who insists that his name be withheld, offers to this city a $20,000 Y.M.C.A. building. The only condition imposed is that 100 paid members at $5 a year be secured before the work is begun.

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BRIEF COAST DISPATCHES.

Devlin Tannery Burned.

EUREKA, April 14.—The Thomas Devlin tannery at Arcata, twelve miles west of this city, was consumed by fire tonight. The cause is not definitely known, but it is believed to have been spontaneous combustion. The loss is estimated at $50,000; insurance, $10,000. The fire will throw 100 men out of employment. It is believed that the tannery will be rebuilt.

Railway Clerk Asphyxiated.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 14.—John N. McGuire, a clerk in the Tamalpais Railroad Company's office was found asphyxiated today in his room at the Marechal Neil Hotel. Gas was escaping from an open jet when the body was discovered. The deceased was a son of P. J. McGuire, master carbuilder of the Atlantic division of the Southern Pacific Company at New Orleans.

Break in Water Ditch.

ANGELS CAMP, April 14.—The entire system of the Utica mine of this place was shut down today by a break in the water ditch in the mountains. It will be several days before the break is repaired.

Public Health Association.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 14.—The Public Health Association of the State of California was organized in this city today. The objects of the organization are the exchange of ideas and experiences, consideration of laws and rules for matters of pertinent interest to health officers. The following officers were elected: President, Dr. Edward Van Adelung of Oakland; vice-presidents, Drs. S. B. Davis of Stockton and William Simpson of San José; secretary and treasurer, J. A. Emery of San Francisco.

Taxation of Mines.

SPOKANE (Wash.) April 14.—An important ruling regarding taxation of mines has been made by the Superior Court of Ferry county. In a case involving taxes on the Quilp, Lone Pine, Tom Thumb and other noted properties the court held that the Assessor cannot fix the valuation of the mine by the selling price of the stock, but must try to determine the real value by the location of the property, its condition and its ability to produce.

Five Japanese Robbed.

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Fruit Grower Drowned.

WOODLAND, April 14.—Louis Kellogg, an influential farmer and fruit grower, was drowned in Cache Creek, near Rumsey, last night. He missed the ford and was swept down the stream. W. M. Roberts was near enough to see his danger, but when he reached the bank the unfortunate man, horse and buggy had all disappeared.

Crowley Sorry He Jumped.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 14.—J. J. Crowley, a member of the State Board of Pharmacy, who was returning from Los Angeles, jumped from a moving train at Valencia and Twenty-fifth streets, missed his footing and sustained painful injuries. Several bones of the right hand were broken, and his left leg badly lacerated.

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SEATTLE (Wash.) April 14.—Alexander Green, a pioneer of Alaska, was drowned between Sumdum and Juneau during the first week of April. His boat was found capsized on the beach. He was one of the best-known settlers of Juneau. Green's family live in Wyoming, where he at one time owned a large cattle ranch.

Death from Natural Causes.

RENO, April 14.—It is now believed that Charlotte, the man who was taken from the east-bound Southern Pacific train dead here yesterday, came to his death from natural causes.

Flouring Mill Burned.

UKIAH, April 14.—Cleveland's flouring mill, six miles north of this city, was destroyed by fire today. The loss is estimated at about $7000. The origin was incendiary.

Leg Torn From Body.

WILLETS, April 14.—M. N. Gregg, who has been engaged in building a road to the Muir sawmill, was fatally injured today by the explosion of an overtime blast which he attempted to fix. His right leg was torn from his body.

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Mrs. King's son, Frederick Holmes, had been engaged for a long time to Miss Annie Clark, and the marriage ceremony was performed at the home of Mrs. King, who, except her friend, John Thompson, was the only attendant. At the end of the service Mrs. King asked the clergyman to repeat the service for her and Thompson, which was done, her son and his bride acting as best man and maid of honor.

AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

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ASKS COURT FOR HEARING.

Arguments of Lawyers in Merger Case.

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Government Seeks Right to Enter Suit Against the Merger Companies.

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Justice White asked why the State could not pass a law of its own to cover the case, and Stratton replied that he thought the State had that right, but that it also is entitled to an independent proceeding for injuction. In reply to Justice Harlan, he said that the State might, of course, proceed against either of the railroad companies for damages, but that the Northern Securities Company could not be thus reached in a State court. The Chief Justice wanted to know if the State could not institute a suit and give the Securities Company a chance to come in.

"Yes," was the reply, "but it won't come in, as has been made manifest in Minnesota."

He agreed with a suggestion made by Justice Brewer that the railroads involved are interstate roads and that on this account it was competent to appeal to the national authorities.

Summing up the case, Stratton said the question presented is "whether the stock and power of control of two gigantic lines of railway, traversing the States of Washington, Montana, North Dakota and Minnesota, may be consolidated, so as to create a monopoly in railway traffic therein, in defiance of the laws of such, or whether a corporate entity can be created and used for the express purpose of overthrowing the constitutional enactments of a number of sovereign States and thus accomplish indirectly that which this court has decided could not be done directly."

Charles W. Bunn and former Atty.-Gen. John W. Griggs, appeared for the railroad companies, and the Securities Company. Bunn contended that if the injunction should be granted, as prayed for by the State of Washington, the Securities Company would be compelled to sell its stock in at least one of the railroad companies. He contended that the Securities Company had the same power to acquire, own and vote stock as any natural person would have, and could not be enjoined. Surely no man could be limited in his holding of stocks and securities, but whatever power a State might have to control the holdings of its own citizens, it could not be reasonably contended that it could have any influence on citizens natural or artificial of other States, like the Securities Company. Surely there was no law in the State of Washington, nor was there any common law, that could limit the holdings of an individual in this respect, and if an individual could hold without limitations, so also could a combination of individuals. Moreover, if there could be such a limitation, it was for the States themselves to apply it.

He also contended that there was no precedent allowing one State to go into another State for the enforcement of its own laws, and said that Washington was undertaking to do just that in this proceeding. To do this would be a violation of the fourteenth amendment to the Constitution of the United States. Bunn contended that if the State of Washington could come to this court of relief, it could go to the courts of New Jersey for it. He said that there was no precedent for such a proceeding.

Justice White suggested that likewise there was no precedent for such enormous combines as that complained of in this case. To this suggestion Bunn said that while this might be true, they must be proceeded with by legislation if at all.

Mr. Griggs argued that the power of the Supreme Court cannot be invoked by one State to enforce the police laws of another, and contended that in this instance Washington was attempting to control the corporate action of three companies, none of which pretends to derive its existence or authority from that State. He followed Bunn in the contention that there could be no more restriction on the holding of stock by a corporation than by its holding as an individual, adding that the principle is in no wise affected by the amount involved. The mere suggestion was, he said, a refutation of the allegation in the bill of complaint.

He added that no act complained of would take place in Washington. There was no possibility of a violation of a State law, because Washington had no law on the subject. It was only alleged that public opinion was violated, but this court was not here to sustain the demands of public opinion of one State against the citizens of another. The States should be left to provide their own remedies. Let Washington provide its own laws, and try to do something herself instead of parading down here and asking this court to do something that it has no right to do.

In his rejoinder, Stratton said that the entire argument on behalf of the defendant corporation had turned on the contention that Washington could not proceed against them because of their non-residence, whereas he argued that this very circumstance was what gave the Federal Supreme Court jurisdiction. Without this interposition, the State was, he repeated, without remedy.

"What do you think of State ownership? Could not the State take possession of the roads and run them?" asked the Chief Justice.

Stratton replied that such a remedy had not occurred to him. What the State of Washington wanted was that the court should enjoin a combination of the two roads in a third corporation under the guise of an individual, and he believed that this would not be permitted. He closed with the charge that the combination is a violation of the contract obligation of the railroad implied in their acceptance of charters from the State.

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SHASTA RAILWAY.

SURVEYORS RUNNING LINES.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.] Redding, April 14.—The chief engineer for the Shasta Mineral Belt Railway Company is authority for the statement that there are three crews of surveyors running preliminary lines for the proposed railroad to connect the Southern Pacific line with the timber belt in the Fall River Valley, distant sixty miles. The Mineral Belt Company is composed of St. Louis capitalists who are believed locally to be connected with Thomas B. Walker, the Minneapolis lumber king, who has so far expendad one million dollars for timber in Shasta and Siskiyou counties.

Railroads Increase Wages.

CHICAGO, April 14.—Railroads of Chicago have voluntarily increased the wages of freight handlers. The advance varies in the different departments, but the total increase is $25,000 per month, and affects 8000 men employed in freight depots of Chicago.

RUNAWAY HEIRESS COMING TO LOS ANGELES.

DELIGHTS OF THIS CITY WIN HER FROM OGDEN HOME.

Portia Coolidge Tiring of Restraints of Home Starts on Journey Without Taking the Trouble of Leaving Any Notice of Her Intention.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] OGDEN (Utah) April 14.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Miss Portia Coolidge, a pretty schoolgirl of this city, and an heiress in her own right, has run away from home, and her destination is believed to be Los Angeles. So far as can be learned, the girl left because she was tired of the conventionality of home and what she regarded as its restraints.

She disappeared last Friday night. Yesterday she was located, through the aid of the police, on the Southern Pacific en route to Los Angeles. The conductor urged her to leave the train at Wadsworth to return, but she refused, and stood flatly on the rights guaranteed by her ticket.

Miss Coolidge would soon have graduated from High School. Her mother died several years ago, leaving the child considerable property, consisting of cash and real estate in Ogden, including several houses in the residence district. A determined effort has been made to keep the departure of the girl secret, as her father does not want her arrested and expects to be able to get her to come back. Her relations with her step-mother were said to be pleasant, and she had a fine home and indulgent friends. Her motive for running away is unknown.

SAT UP IN COFFIN.

Timely Return to Consciousness of Scazeletta Frightens Pall-bearers, but Saves Him from Burial Alive.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] PATERSON (N. J.) April 14.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Alexander Scazeletta, an Italian in the County Jail, was being carried out today in a coffin, after having been pronounced dead, when he suddenly sat upright in the coffin. The undertaker's assistants let the coffin drop and fled.

Scazeletta had been called in the morning by the keeper, but he did not respond. The cell was opened and the man could not be aroused. The jail officials sent for a physician, and the doctor pronounced the man dead.

Scazeletta was arrested last Thursday for acting as though demented. For two days he talked incessantly in jail, but Saturday he apparently lost the power of speech.

He has been discharged from jail on recommendation of the county physician.

MORMONS EXPELLED.

Sent From Insterburg as Objectionable Characters—Activity of the Propaganda Progressing in Germany.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.] BERLIN, April 14.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Two Mormon missionaries (Americans,) Lorenzo Walker and Joseph Zwahles, have been expelled by the police from Insterburg, East Prussia, as objectionable characters.

The Mormons have now upward of a hundred missionaries in Germany. For several months they have been actively engaged in a propaganda. The police of Berlin and other large cities grant them permits to meet freely. The Berlin Mormon congregation number a thousand persons.

BIG DEAL IN GRAZING LAND.

OMAHA (Neb.) April 14.—Fifty thousand acres of grazing land was purchased today by a party of sheep men of Western Wyoming. The land lies along the Union Pacific Railroad and is grant land. These sales are said to be the first of a large number to be consummated in the near future. The buying of the land, said one of the purchasers, is part of a plan of the sheep raisers to force the cattlemen out of the district, over which there has been so much strife.

SENATOR CLARK DEFENDANT IN SUIT.

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He Alleges That the Senator Wrongfully Deprived Him of His Share in the Company Because He Refused to Sell It.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.] NEW YORK, April 14.—Senator W. A. Clark of Montana was a witness in the Supreme Court, this city, today, in a suit brought by Prof. George A. Treadwell against the United Verde Copper Company and Senator W. A. Clark. Charles W. Clark and the other directors of the corporation.

Prof. Treadwell asked that the defendant company and its directors be enjoined from selling or disposing of any of its assets until judgment of the court shall have been pronounced; that a receiver for the company be appointed, and that an accounting be made by the defendants before a referee for the profits of the corporation since December, 1888; that the court direct the sale of the property of the United Verde Copper Company then remaining undisposed of, and appoint a referee to conduct such sale, who shall account for it, and pay over the proceeds, when the plaintiff is to receive a proportionate share of the money so found due, and a proportionate share in the surplus and assets of the company.

Prof. Treadwell claims to own 620 shares of stock in the company, which shares, he says, are now valued at $186,000. He alleges that he was wrongfully deprived of his share in the company because he refused to sell.

Senator Clark denied that he made certain threats as to what would be done if Prof. Treadwell refused to agree to the reorganization of the company, such as was effected in 1900. He says that in 1898 he asked his agent to try to get an option on Prof. Treadwell's stock, but nothing came of it. Senator Clark said he made no attempt to buy Prof. Treadwell's stock after reorganization proceedings had been started.

"Did you ever tell Mr. Allaire that you did not 'intend to be annoyed by that pauper any longer,' referring to Prof. Treadwell?" was asked.

"I never did."

It was brought out in the course of Senator Clark's testimony that the United Verde Copper Company had opposed a man named Burns who was candidate for Sheriff of Yavapai county. Senator Clark said that Burns was a discharged employé of the company, and that he had threatened "to get even." When Burns became the Republican candidate for Sheriff, Clark said he gave orders that Munds, the Democratic candidate, should be elected, and that the company should spend any amount of money that might be neded for legitimate campaign expenses. About $10,000 was so spent.

Senator Clark was then excused in order that he might go to Washington, and it was arranged that he might return for cross-examination later.

TALK WITH CLARK.

INFORMATION GLEANED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] NEW YORK, April 14.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] United States Senator Clark of Montana said today:

"I'm not interested, one way or another, in the copper war, but there seems to be no indication that a settlement of differences may be hoped for in the near future. Aside from the controversy, there is peace in the copper trade."

"What is the general trade outlook?"

"Well," replied the Senator, "It is rather encouraging."

"Do you expect the price of copper to advance soon?"

"No, I do not. I don't see any prospect of any great advance. The whole question of price is regulated by supply and demand, rather than by stock quotations."

"How about your railroad, the San Pedro, Los Angeles and Salt Lake?"

"Oh, that's getting along finely. It won't be long before we will be running trains from San Pedro Harbor and Los Angeles through to Salt Lake City. What connections am I going to make? Oh, I can't tell about those, until we begin operating trains. Then you will know about connections."

MARQUIS SNUBBED.

Mrs. Potter Palmer and Other Chicago Society Women Give Cold Shoulder to British Nobleman.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] CHICAGO, April 14.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Society will not open its arms to the Marquis of Townshend of England, if advices given out at the homes of Mrs. Potter Palmer and Congressman Adams are official. The Marquis arrived in Chicago Saturday, bringing letters of identification from a Washington official to Mrs. Palmer and Congressman Adams's family. He registered at the Auditorium and at once sent his card by messenger to the Palmer and Adams homes. Since then he has been waiting developments. Mrs. Palmer was inaccessible this evening, but a servant said:

"The Marquis of Townshend has not called here, nor has he been invited to call."

The message was delivered with an accent indicating that no invitation would be extended.

Miss Adams would not answer directly whether or not the Marquis would be welcome in the home of her father, but her manner suggested that the visitor might be denied that privilege.

The Marquis denied that he had any connection with an advertisement that appeared in London papers to the effect that the advertiser would exchange a title for an American heiress.

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Black Swiss 15c.
One lot of dainty, fine dotted swiss in black, a fabric very striking and desirable for Spring wear.

Printed Jacknett 15c.
A very airy, light, sheer fabric, printed in a large assortment of the newest colors.

Plain Batiste 15c.
A special lot of dainty, plain batiste in an extra fine weave; while it lasts, 15c.

Black Sateen 15c.
One lot of fine black sateen in a very dainty, satin finish. Special for this week 15c.

Swiss Muslin 15c.
One lot of special dotted swiss muslin, printed in stripes, figures and floral effects with a woven dot.

Dimity Batiste 15c.
One lot of special dimity batiste in a fine sheer, airy weave with a one-inch wide batiste stripe, with a one-inch dimity cord, and with mercerized sateen stripes. Comes printed in figures, floral designs, stripes and dots, making a fabric too beautiful for description.

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CONFERENCE RESULTS IN AN AGREEMENT.

SETTLEMENT OF BITUMINOUS MINERS' STRIKE EXPECTED.

Mass Meetings of the Men Have Been Called for the Purpose of Considering the Terms Resulting from Meeting With General Manager Robinson.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.] DUBOIS (Pa.) April 14.—General Manager Robinson of the Rochester and Pittsburgh Coal and Iron Company met President Mitchell and the district officers of the United Mine Workers, together with delegates from the different mines in this region, at Punxsutawney today in a conference lasting five hours.

As a result of the conference it is generally felt that within a few days the strike of the bituminous miners will be declared off. None of the parties to the conference would give out the result of the meeting, further than that an agreement had been reached. The delegates hurried to their respective homes after the conference, and at once called mass meetings to be held tomorrow afternoon. It is reported that both sides have made concessions.

STEEL WORKERS.

PREPARING FOR CONVENTION

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.] WHEELING (W. Va.) April 14.—President Shaffer, Secretary Williams and Assistant Secretary Tighe of the Amalgamated Association arrived this morning from Pittsburgh and immediately the Wage Scale Committee went into an all-day session. Its reports will be ready for the convention when it convenes tomorrow.

It is reported that the suspended Chicago lodges intend to make a vigorous fight for reinstatement before this convention. Their charters were taken away from them during the strike for refusing to quit work, and they gave as a reason for their action that they were working under a sanctioned contract which forbade their striking.

TO BE KAISER'S GUESTS.

Three Distinguished American Army Officers Invited to Attend German Military Maneuvers Next Fall.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] WASHINGTON, April 14.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Prince Henry's visit to America is to be returned by a trio of distinguished army officers. When he leaves Berlin for the great autumn maneuvers of the German army next September, Emperor William is to have as his companions and guests three representatives of the American army—Maj.-Gens. Corbin and Young and Brig.-Gen. Wood.

This visit has been discussed by the President and Secretary Root, and while the journey of Gen. Wood is the only one that is now definitely decided upon, it is probable that Corbin and Young will be added to the party.

They will be accompanied by a number of other officers, and the visit to Germany by this party will probably be made another occasion for exchange of hospitalities and courtesies. In fact the visit was suggested by the Kaiser himself. Emperor William has caused our government to be informed that he would be glad to welcome to the maneuvers such American soldiers as the President may wish to send over.

BLIND PROFESSOR'S WORK.

ANN ARBOR (Mich.) April 14.—Prof. Edward D. Campbell, the blind professor of analytical chemistry in the University of Michigan, is engaged upon the first of a series of experiments that will take years of labor before completed. When finished the results will be of great value to the manufacturers of Portland cement, and this product will be turned out on as scientific a basis as is steel at the present time. Prof. Campbell has devised the first furnace in which the factors of time and temperature can be absolutely controlled, and his test will cover all complications of clay and marl. Prof. Campbell is said to be the first to take up the research work on this absolutely scientific plan.

Robert S. McCormick, American Ambassador to Austria, has left London for Vienna, accompanied by Mrs. McCormick and her niece.

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man is quoted as saying, "Miles can wait."

It was stated in the newspapers the day following Gen. Ord's retirement, that the reasons were political, and a telegram alleged to have been sent by Gen. Ord to Gen. Hancock, after the latter's nomination for the Presidency by the Democratic party, was put in evidence as being of extremely partisan character for an army officer in a Republican administration. The telegram from Ord to Hancock was said to have read: "Congratulations from Texas and from Ord."

Political reasons were assigned at the time for the retirement of Ord, though it is believed, also, President Hayes was inspired by a desire to recognize the popularity and ability of Col. Miles, demonstrated as the result of his Indian campaigning. Gen. Ord was retired as a brigadier-general, and in 1881 was retired as a major-general by an act of Congress.

FIFTY-SEVENTH CONGRESS.

REGULAR SESSION.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, April 14.—SENATE. The Chinese Exclusion Bill occupied the attention of the Senate throughout today. Senator Foraker of Ohio and McLaurin of South Carolina making extended speeches in opposition. Mr. Foraker contended that the pending measure was violative of our treaty with China, and was calculated to prevent our commercial expansion in the far East. While strongly supporting the policy of the government to exclude Chinese laborers, the Ohio Senator maintained that this could be best accomplished by an extension of the present law, holding that the drastic provisions of the pending bill would cut off our cotton trade with China, and thus wreck the cotton industry of the South.

Mr. Teller briefly responded to Mr. Foraker, urging that the right to abrogate treaties was fully recognized.

Mr. Lodge gave notice of an amendment, striking out the clause prohibiting the employment of Chinese sailors on American ships.

M'LAURIN'S PLAINT.

Mr. McLaurin said it was inconceivable that any honorable nation, least of all the United States, should surrender its integrity by deliberately adopting policies and enacting laws in violation of its own sworn compact and treaty with any other power, and that, too, during a period of profound peace, without any provoking cause from the other nation. The pending measure, he declared, was calculated by its restrictive action to kill our trade with China. This was a consideration of vital importance to South Carolina, with its vast cotton production and the growing shipments of cotton goods to China.

"Is it fair to the people of the South," asked Senator McLaurin, "just as they are beginning to prosper in manufacturing cotton cloth, enterprises, after long years of trouble and privation, to tear down and crush their new enterprises, on the assumption that such a ruinous policy is necessary in order to keep out the Chinese, when, in point of fact, it is not at all necessary and the Chinese are being kept out by the existing law? That is the plain business, at the base of the whole question."

Mr. McLaurin said the result of the shutdown in the China trade and the consequent collapse of southern cotton manufacturing would be most severe on the South. It would glut the home market and close the mills. The mill owners and the operatives would suffer. In South Carolina some 60,000 operatives would be injured, while the same result would occur in North Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, and all the States where cotton is grown or cotton goods are manufactured.

FORAKER'S OPPOSITION.

Mr. Foraker followed in a speech opposing certain features of the measure. At the outset he said he desired to emphasize the fact that he was not opposed to the general proposition that Chinese laborers, skilled or unskilled, should be excluded. His opposition was not on account of the prohibition policy, but was on account of other features of the pending bill, chiefly those relating to exempted classes. These features, the Senator declared, were in violation of our treaty rights and were calculated to work serious injury to the people of this country, especially the wage workers.

Mr. Foraker took up the various treaties, showing the development of the exclusion policy and the various rights given and restrictions imposed.

Replying to a question from Mr. Platt of Connecticut, Mr. Foraker said that if Hung Chang would have been excluded from this country under the provisions of the pending bill, and China could reciprocally exclude our missionaries, engineers and students.

Mr. Foraker contended that the treaty of 1894 was the culmination of the statutory and treaty provisions on exclusion and that the only prohibition under the treaty was against laborers, all other classes being permitted to come and to reside here. No one had pointed out any harm resulting from the admission of educated Chinese. He, therefore, opposed the pending bill as violative of treaty rights and as inaugurating an unwise policy.

Mr. Quarles of Wisconsin asked if the new Chinese policy of sending youths to American schools would not make each of these youths an advance agent of American civilization.

Mr. Foraker responded by reading recent edicts directing that young men from every province be sent abroad to study. And yet, declared Mr. Foraker, at this moment Senators were asked to vote to exclude Chinese students from our shores. In his judgment, a more unwise provision and more violative of our treaty obligations had not been proposed since he entered the Senate.

KEEP THE DOOR OPEN.

He denied that the proposed measure was in the interest of our wage-earners. The United States, he said, has an enormous surplus product which must be disposed of in the outside world. Europe could take but little more than at present. We must look to the Far East, particularly now that we have a foothold in the Philippines. China, declared the Senator, is the greatest opportunity for a market that the world offers. We sell less than 10 per cent. of the amount China buys. Under the masterly diplomacy of the administration of William McKinley our merchants, he said, had been assured the "open door" in China. The pending measure, in his opinion, would overcome all the good secured by this "open door."

LODGE'S AMENDMENTS.

Mr. Lodge proposed two amendments to what is known as the seamen's clause. One of the amendments struck out the entire clause prohibiting Chinese sailors on American ships, and the other increased to $10,000 the bond to be given by foreign ships not to employ the landing of Chinese sailors. The amendments went over.

TELLER ON THE TREATY.

Responding to Mr. Foraker's contention that the pending bill was violative of our treaty with China, Mr. Teller of Colorado pointed out that the right to abrogate a treaty can be completely recognized. He read from the record, showing that many Senators now in the Chamber, and others, including Thurman and Blaine, had voted for the abrogation of the Burlingame treaty with China.

After a brief executive session the Senate, at 4:20 p.m., adjourned.

HOUSE PROCEEDINGS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, April 14.—HOUSE—Interest in the Cuba Reciprocity Bill in the House seems to be waning judged by the attendance on the floor today, but the earnestness of the speeches on both sides of the question increase rather than decrease in intensity. That the Republican opponents of the bill are determined to prolong the struggle as much as possible, was made manifest today by their refusal to allow speeches to be printed in the record. The speakers today were Messrs. McCarl of Massachusetts and Brantley of Georgia for the measure, and Messrs. Robertson of Louisiana, and Stevens of Minnesota against it. Mr. Robinson of Indiana opposed Cuban annexation on the ground that it would threaten the welfare of the American wage-earner.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Under the rule this was District of Columbia day, but the regular order was suspended until next Monday.

Bills were passed to provide for a modification of the adopted project for the improvement of Everett Harbor, Wash.; to authorize the Supervisors of Santa Cruz county, Ariz., to issue bonds in the sum of $35,000 for the erection of a Courthouse and jail; to make the act of February 28, 1891, relative to the selection of indemnity school lands applicable to Utah.

POSTOFFICE BILL.

Mr. Loud of California then called up the conference report on the Postoffice Appropriation Bill. He was questioned closely about the item in the report providing for the pneumatic-tube service. Mr. Cannon of Illinois and Mr. Moody of Massachusetts criticised the manner in which the provision came into the House for action, giving no opportunity for amendment.

Mr. Loud insisted that the House, even at this parliamentary stage, could reject the report if the pneumatic-tube provision was not acceptable. The report was adopted without division.

CUBAN RECIPROCITY.

The House then went into committee of the whole and resumed the debate upon the Cuban Reciprocity Bill. The first speaker, Mr. McCall of Massachusetts, a member of the Ways and Means Committee, made an earnest speech in favor of the passage of the bill. The objection that the measure would destroy the beet-sugar industry in this country, he said, rested on no sound foundation. He produced figures to prove his assertion, and said that the claim that the sugar trust would get the benefit of the reduction could not stand examination. It is nonsense, he said, to assert that we have discharged all our obligations to Cuba, when we send her out on the highway thus bound hand and foot, as if all that remained for us hereafter was to sing praises to our own virtue for giving her freedom. Cuba's case was stronger in this than that of the Philippines, which had a 25-per-cent. concession, or Porto Rico, which had free trade.

Mr. Robertson of Louisiana, also a member of the Ways and Means Committee, opposed the bill in a vigorous speech. He contended that the United States would reap practically nothing from a reciprocity arrangement with Cuba. Moreover, Mr. Robertson argued, the American consumer would secure no reduction on his sugar as a result of the proposed legislation. The sugar trust, he declared, would be the chief beneficiary.

Mr. Brantley of Georgia spoke briefly in support of the bill.

Mr. Stevens of Minnesota opposed the bill. He declared that those who were pressing Congress to give relief to Cuba were mainly men who had gone into the island in the hope of amassing fortunes. They were Spaniards, Europeans or Americans, who had gone to Cuba since the war. They had taken no part in the revolution. They were sugar barons, not Cubans. It was a mistake to believe that this legislation was aiding the Cuban masses. As a showing that there was no distress in Cuba, he declared that on a recent visit to Cuba he found there was in the banks of Cienfuegos, a city of 59,000 inhabitants, over $12,000,000 of deposits. Judged by bank deposits, that city was richer, therefore, than any city in the United States of the same size.

Mr. Stevens described the threat of annexation as a "bogie man." As a Republican he favored reciprocity, and if there were any genuine reciprocity in this bill, he would support it.

At 5 p.m. the House adjourned.

ALLEGED BEEF TRUST.

INVESTIGATION INTO IT.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, April 14.—Representative Ray of New York, chairman of the House Committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred the Thayer resolution calling upon the Attorney-General for information relative to the prosecution of the alleged beef trust, has written a letter to Atty.-Gen. Knox, concerning he matter, and has received a reply which he will lay before the Judiciary Committee at its meeting tomorrow. The Attorney-General's letter will not be made public until it is presented to the committee. Mr. Ray said today:

"I have no doubt that the Attorney-General of the United States will immediately probe the matter of the alleged beef trust to the bottom and prosecute all offenders vigorously if there is substantial evidence that the law has been or is being violated."

Reliable information is to the effect that the Department of Justice in the alleged beef trust matter has not gone beyond the point of an investigation into the question of whether or not the trust has violated the Federal law. No prosecution has been ordered, and no grand jury has been summoned to determine the question, so far as the department knows.

ORDERED TO INVESTIGATE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, April 14.—United States Attorney H. Bethea, following instructions given by President Roosevelt and Atty.-Gen. Knox, will make a searching inquiry into the workings of the so-called beef trust in Chicago, in relation to the Sherman Anti-trust Law.

The investigation will be secret and when finished, a full report will be furnished to Washington for the use of the Attorney-General in deciding what course his department will take against the packers charged with being in the combination.

PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENTS.

POSTMASTER FOR VENTURA.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, April 14.—The President today nominated John H. Landis to be superintendent of the mint at Philadelphia, vice H. K. Boyer, resigned; Albert A. Norris, coiner of the mint at Philadelphia; Robert A. Sharkey, naval officer of customs, district of New York. He also made the following appointments:

Interior—Receiver of public moneys, Henry Malloch, Ayresville, Cal.; Alfred H. Taylor, Susanville, Cal.; register of land office, Thomas A. Roseberry, Susanville, Cal.

Army—Col. Mott Hooton, Twenty-eighth Infantry, to be brigadier-general.

Postmaster—La Fevre Webster, to be postmaster at Ventura, Cal.

The President has appointed Archbishop Ryan of Philadelphia a member of the Board of Indian Commissioners. He succeeds Bishop Whipple, the eminent Episcopalian who recently died, and is the first Catholic prelate appointed on the board.

FRAUDULENT LOCATIONS ON DESERT LAND.

GENERAL LAND OFFICE STILL MAKING INVESTIGATION.

Special Agents Unearthing Alleged Frauds in Los Angeles District—Fifty or Sixty More Indictments Expected to Result Ere Long.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, April 14.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The General Land Office is going to keep right on following up the alleged fraudulent locations upon desert lands near Los Angeles. Some time ago the Interior Department was notified that a great number of supposedly fraudulent entries were being made upon these lands, and Land Commissioner Herrmann sent special agents to Los Angeles to make an investigation. The results of these investigations to date are that four or five indictments have been found. These, however, comprise but a very small part of the supposed frauds. According to information received from Los Angeles there may be as many as fifty or sixty more cases to be prosecuted. Special agents are still working in the field and more indictments are expected soon.

About six weeks ago the attention of the local land office was called to the fact that something apparently was wrong with certain entries on desert land in the vicinity of Imperial, San Diego county. Between fifteen and twenty affidavits of entry in the district named had passed through the office of Land Commissioner Herrmann and when they were examined in a bunch in the office of the Secretary of the Interior it was noted that though they came from persons in various parts of the East, the dates were the same. It was surmised that the entries had been made by some individual or company and immediately transferred to the assignees, who presented the affidavits. As there appeared to be a violation of the land laws, the investigation has been ordered and a special agent of the local office is engaged in the work.

HAWAIIAN BILLS.

GOV. DOLE HAS A HEARING.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, April 14.—The Senate Committee on Pacific Islands and Porto Rico today heard Gov. Dole and other Hawaiians on two bills pending before the committees. Gov. Dole and State Senator George R. Carter spoke in favor of the bill for the apportionment of Senators in Hawaii, and Delegate Wilcox and Edgar Caypless opposed the bill. Gov. Dole also spoke against the bill granting right of way to the Hawaiian Ditch Company, saying the legislation was unnecessary.

PENSIONS INCREASED.

FOR DEAF AND CRIPPLES.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, April 14.—The Senate Committee on Pensions today ordered a favorable report on the bill granting increase of pensions to soldiers who have lost arms, legs or feet. The increase will be $2 per month each, and will increase the annual pension appropriation bill $1,300,000. The committee also ordered a favorable report on a bill increasing from $30 to $40 per month the pension of those who are totally deaf. This will increase the pension appropriations $28,000 only.

PLANT PARDONED.

MERCY FOR SICK SOLDIER.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, April 14.—The President today granted a pardon to Alfred Plant, who is serving a four years' sentence in Hongkong, China, for robbing a Chinese pawnshop while serving as a soldier in China. Plant and four others were convicted of the offense before a consular court, and were sentenced to four years each. The other three men are being transferred to this country to complete their sentences, but Plant is pardoned because he is too ill to be moved, and the officials report that he will die if he continues in prison.

FEDERATION OF LABOR.

INTERESTED IN EXCLUSION.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, April 14.—The Executive Council of the American Federation of Labor met here today for a week's session. Messrs. Furuseth and Tracey of the Legislative Committee of the federation made a report regarding the legislation now pending in Congress, and particularly to the Kahn-Mitchell Chinese Exclusion Bill and its present status and the attitude of some Senators who are hostile to the essential features of effective exclusion. An informal discussion was had, and the views of the Executive Council will later be expressed in a resolution to be presented to Congress.

DOLE'S SCALP SAFE.

HAS PRESIDENT'S CONFIDENCE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, April 14.—The following official statement was made at the White House today:

"The President, after most careful investigation and hearing as many men as possible, and hearing from others, has come to the conclusion that Gov. Dole's course has been such as to warrant his continuance as Governor of Hawaii and entitle him to the respect and hearty support of the administration."

The Governor was a caller at the White House today, and said he would go to Boston for a short visit, and in about two weeks would sail for home.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

Privilege of the Floor.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—Representative Lacy of Iowa today introduced a resolution to grant the privilege of the floor of the House to Mr. Degeteau, the commissioner from Porto Rico.

Demand for Free Beef.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—Representative Newlands of Nevada today introduced a bill to remove all duties on beef imported from foreign countries.

Fiscal Agents in Philippines.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—The President has designated the Guaranty Trust Company of New York, as the fiscal agents of the United States in the Philippines.

Good Place for Clarkson.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—The President has determined upon the appointment of James S. Clarkson of Iowa to be surveyor of customs of the port of New York. It also was announced at the White House today that Lieut. Sharkey, naval officer at New York, will be reappointed.

To Enlarge Utah.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—Senator Kearns today introduced a bill annexing to Utah all that portion of Arizona Territory lying north and west of the Colorado River.

ENGLAND.

MORE TAXES FOR BRITISH.

Budget is Presented to House of Commons.

Provides Big Increase in the Public Debt.

Interesting Incident Indicating the Government is Expecting Peace.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, April 14.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Not for many years has Great Britain's fiscal programme been awaited with such interest as that which attached to this year's announcement, and there is no doubt that all the proposals contained in the budget given out today by Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, will be adopted. It is equally certain, however, that none of the proposals will meet with the unanimous approval of either side of the House.

More important, perhaps, than the curious forms of the new taxation is the statement made by the Chancellor of the Exchequer that the government has acceded to the Boer demand concerning the restocking of farms.

At a late hour tonight the Associated Press learns upon excellent authority that the principal provision of the budget, namely, the treasury loan of £32,000,000, upon which Sir Michael Hicks-Beach was remarkably reticent, has a serious bearing upon the peace question. There appears to be a very strong belief in the Cabinet that, owing to the expected early termination of the war, the £32,000,000 will never be needed. When that section of the budget gets to the committee stage, peace negotiations will probably have reached such a shape that Sir Michael Hicks-Beach will be able to announce a diminution of today's estimate. In any case, this loan will probably be called up in small loans only.

The fear to explain the important point, is taken in the House of Commons to indicate that the government has strong hopes of a speedy issue of the negotiations now pending at Pretoria between the Boer leaders, although it wishes to impress the world in general, and the Boers in particular, with its ability and determination to push the war to a finish should the British terms of peace be refused.

Sir Michael Hicks-Beach is seldom dramatic; but when he referred today to the government's intention to restock the Boer, as well as the colonial farms his voice rose to an eloquent pitch. His gesture, as he spoke in praise of the valor of the Boers, and expressed his hopes for subsequent friendship between Briton and Boer took the house with him, and the cheers, especially from the opposition, prevented the speaker from continuing his speech for some moments. During this pause the Chancellor of the Exchequer turned toward Mr. Chamberlain, the Colonial Secretary, who sat pale and motionless, plainly none the pleased at this official recantation of his "unconditional surrender" formula.

TERMS OF BUDGET.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, April 14.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The statement showing the revenues and expenditures, presented in the House of Commons today by the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, when opening the budget announcements, showed a total ordinary expenditure for 1902-03, estimated, of £129,159,000, with war charges amounting to £45,450,000, making a grand total of £174,609,000, which is £12,993,000 below the total of 1901-02.

BARBAROUS MURDER OF TWO CHILDREN.

MARY PETERSON AND BROTHER THE VICTIMS OF FIEND.

Negro With the Imprint of a Bloody Hand on the Back of His Coat Under Arrest—Mob Gathers in Front of the Jail.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

DES MOINES (Iowa) April 14.—While returning home from Highland Park Methodist Church on the north outskirts of the city, last evening, Mary Peterson, 15 years of age, and Thomas, aged 11, children of Peter J. Peterson, a well-to-do dairyman, were murdered by some unknown person, believed to be a negro. The boy when found at midnight was alive, but died within fifteen minutes, not being able to give a description of his assailant. The bodies were discovered by a farmer, who overheard the moans of the lad. An examination revealed that both children had their heads crushed in.

The police so far are without a clew. The body of the girl was found at the foot of a telephone pole in a ditch two feet deep. She had been ravished by her assailant. Her underclothing was badly torn. At the base of the head she had been hit with some hard instrument, resulting in fracturing the skull. On the crown of the head there were four or five indentations, all of which would have proven serious if not fatal.

Not a brick or an instrument can be found within the region where the murders occurred. The boy, who was found in the ditch on the opposite side of the road, was most cruelly treated. Fully half a dozen indentations were made in the skull, and his face also showed evidence of being pounded.

The Peterson family consisted of seven children, four girls and three boys. Two of the girls now living declare that a week ago they were chased at the same spot by a man on their return during the evening from Highland Park. They are unable to give a description of the man.

Not far from the scene of the murder are the Marquisville coal mines, in which some 200 colored coal miners are employed. It is the impression of the police that the murderer was a resident of Marquisville. The tracks of two men have been found leading from the scene, and were followed by the police, but they soon led into a path where all trace was lost.

Bloodhounds have been ordered, and will be put on the trail of the murderer. Gov. Cummins has consented to offer a reward of $500 for the capture of the criminals.

James Hutchins, a negro, 27 years of age, was arrested this afternoon as a suspect. He had on the back of his coat the imprint of a bloody hand. He gave a rambling account of where he had been during the night.

A crowd of several thousand people gathered in front of the City Jail shortly after the arrest of Hutchins, but no effort was made to take him from the officers. Excitement is running high, and talk of lynching is common.

SLAUGHTERS HIS FAMILY.

IN DANGER OF LYNCHING.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SALISSAW (I. T.) April 14.—One of the most brutal murders ever committed in the Indian Territory took place a few miles east of Stillwell. A white man named Dudley killed his ten-year-old daughter, fatally wounded two other children and seriously wounded his wife. Dudley has been taken to Salisaw to prevent his being lynched.

CANDIDATES ENTERTAINED BY TEDDY'S TERRORS.

GAGE AND FLINT WERE NOT AMONG THOSE PRESENT.

Elegant Dinner Given by the Bronco Busters From Los Angeles—Chief Buster Diss Acted as Toastmaster—Very Select Gathering.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN JOSE, April 14.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The dinner of Teddy's Terrors to gubernatorial candidates, or their representatives, tonight, was a very select gathering. The chief buster, Maj. J. W. F. Diss, presided and acted as toast master. On his right sat ex-Gov. Markham, representing Senator Flint; on his left, Gen. George Stone, representing Gov. Gage. These two leading candidates were in San Francisco this afternoon, and rumor is busy with their names tonight.

Dr. Pardee of Oakland, Col. E. D. Preston of San Francisco and Railroad Commissioner J. E. Elson of Siskiyou, also candidates, and Sam Shortridge, F. K. Rule, N. Bonfilio of Los Angeles, E. H. Hutchinson, Dr. Ralph Skilling of Pasadena, C. W. Pendleton, Walter Parker, Al Lindley, W. J. Rouse, and, as representatives of the press, McEnery, Bontz and Johnson of San José, Baumgartner of Pasadena, and Washburn, Searl and Scott of Los Anegles, made up the balance of the list.

The table was decorated with carnations, violents and maidenhair fern. An orchestra was in attendance, and wines were in plenty. Brief speeches were made in response to the various toasts, but the question that was uppermost in each one's mind, was what is doing in San Francisco that the leading candidates find it impossible to be present. Teddy's Terrors think they can solve the gubernatorial problem, and get behind the winner, as they have always done heretofore. And, from their point of view, it will be more "harmony." But it was a beautiful dinner, and the wines were as good as the speeches.

As one explanation of Flint's absence it may be said, on authority of ex-Gov. Markham, that Flint has gone to the bay metropolis to attend to Masonic affairs.

The mass meeting at the Auditorium was well attended. Frank Short and ex-Senator Barnett were the principal speakers.

GHOST OF JEFFERSON CALLED BY HILL.

DAVID FALLS BACK ON STANDBY OF DEMOCRACY.

He Makes the Discovery That the President's Administration is All at Sea and That it Wobbles on Every Public Question.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, April 14.—The members of the Democratic Club today inaugurated the birthday of Thomas Jefferson with a reception at the clubhouse. It was looked upon among the Democrats of the city and State as a harmony meeting.

David B. Hill, who had not visited the club for a number of years, was the chief orator of the evening, and in his speech he called upon Democrats to unite in harmony. Perry Belmont, whose differences with Bryan and Croker have kept him away from the club for three years, was also there.

Lewis Nixon, the new leader of Tammany Hall, introduced Hill. The latter said in part:

"It is not for the true interest of any community that a few men should be the employers and that the great body should be employés or servants. In a free republic like ours an equality of fortunes among our citizens is believed to be desirable, and industrial liberty tends toward that result, and hence is essential.

"It is perhaps difficult to predict how Jefferson, if he were alive today, would meet the difficulties which we encounter. We venture to suggest that he would insist upon some reasonable limitation upon the lamount of corporate capital which might be invested in a single corporation.

Jefferson's teachings might suggest a limitation upon the amount of the dividend which could be lawfully declared or upon the profits which could be legally accumulated by these tremendous business organizations. Or he might demand that the government, in justice to its overburdened taxpayers, should withdraw its tariff favors from the 'infant industries' represented by these institutions, whose projectors are already rolling in wealth, and are astonishing the world by the munificence of their private benefactions.

On the subject of colonial extension, he said:

"It is safe to believe that Jefferson would never have favored an expansion of our jurisdiction which did not carry with it the provisions of our Constitution, to which he was so devotedly attached, and which he defended so vigorously with his voice and pen. He would unquestionably have viewed with abhorrence the establishment of a permanent American colonial system, whether continued under military rule or civil authority, appointed by the general government at Washington. His theory was unquestionably the Democratic doctrine of today—that this government has no more authority to create a permanent colonial system than it has the right to create a king."

Continuing, Mr. Hill said:

"The administration of President Roosevelt is all at sea. It has no fixed policies or fixed conventions. It 'wobbles' upon every public question with which it assumes to deal. The messages and public addresses of the President are merely elaborate treatises upon elementary questions of government, containing nothing new and definite. He has no policy in opposition to that of Congress and is prepared to approve whatever Congress does."

In conclusion, he said: "It is a time for unity, for organization, for wise counsels, and for aggressive action."

POLITICS.

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this over, all future proceedings were as harmonious as a lovefeast.

SOME SPEECH-MAKING.

The motions for the appointments of the other committees went through like clockwork, and then Chairman Anderson asked for time in which to make up the committees. During the interval speeches were made by Gen. George Stone, Hon. H. C. Dibble, Corey Van Fleet of the University Club, Will A. Knighten of Los Angeles, Hon. Grove L. Johnson, Judge Buckles of Solano, Judson Brusie of San Francisco, Judge McDonald of San Diego, Charles M. Shortridge of San José and A. Ruef of San Francisco. The tenor of them all was the advisability of organization, the good work of the clubs and the necessity of harmony. Grove Johnson said that all differences would be buried at the primary election, and that then all would be better Republicans and unite for the candidates.

Letters and telegrams of regret were read from Frank L. Coombs, Congressmen Needham, Metcalf and Kahn, Senator Perkins and Gov. Gage.

GOVERNOR'S LETTER.

The important part of Gov. Gage's letter is as follows:

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10, 1902.

Hon. Alden Anderson, President State League of Republican Clubs—My Dear Sir: Your very courteous invitation, date February 6, 1902, at hand, as well as your previous kind letter wherein you cordially invite me on behalf of the Executive Committee of the State League of Republican Clubs to attend the convention to be held on the 14th of April at the city of San José. While realising the importance of the convention, and that its purpose is to promote the best interests of the great Republican party, whose principles we cherish, and believing that the momentous deliberations of the convention should be absolutely exempt from all personal influence of candidates, and, likewise, believing that the labors of your commendable assembly cannot be free from embarrassing influences if aspirants for gubernational honors attend the convention (and you are well aware that I desire and expect the people will accord me the proud distinction of a renomination;) therefore, putting aside self-interest in the premises, and looking solely toward the welfare of the Republican party incident to untrammeled discussion, I deem it my political duty to decline the very great honor and pleasure of accepting your much esteemed invitation to be present at the convention."

The Governor then expresses the conviction that the Republican club organizations do great and effective work in disseminating Republican principles, and urges continued activity and larger organization. He thinks a Republican unworthy of honors who is inactive. He believes that the convention presages Republican victory.

THE COMMITTEES.

Chairman Anderson announced the committees as follows:

Committee on McKinley Memorial—G. L. Pardee, Oakland; George A. Knight, San Francisco; E. B. Edson, Gazelle; E. F. Preston, San Francisco; Thomas Flint, San Juan; W. L. Crooks, Benecia; G. B. Daniels, Alameda; D. H. Bryant, San José; A. B. Lemon, Santa Rosa.

Committee on Platform and Resolutions—O. A. Hale, San José (at large) chairman. First Congress District, J. C. Bull, Jr., Humboldt; J. R. Tyrell, Grass Valley; L. L. Chamberlain, Placer. Second Congress District, A. G. Meyers, Fort Jones; Grove L. Johnson, Sacramento; E. F. Woodward, Santa Rosa. Third Congress District, C. B. Butler, Vallejo; C. H. Spear, Berkeley; G. R. Lukens, Oakland. Fourth Congress District, T. D. Reardan, San Francisco; W. S. Wood, San Francisco; H. C. Dibble, San Francisco. Fifth Congress District, E. A. Hayes, Edenvale; W. J. Gullfoyle, San Francisco; T. J. Kirkpatrick, San Francisco. Sixth Congress District, Warren A. Porter, Watsonville; O. S. Henderson, Stockton, A. R. Briggs, Fresno. Seventh Congress District, C. W. Pendleton, Los Angeles; J. J. Gosper, Los Angeles; W. A. Melick, Los Angeles. Eighth Congress District, Sciplo Craig, Redlands; A. W. Merrett, Santa Barbara; J. W. King, Santa Ana.

Committee on Order of Business: H. G. Dinkelspiel, at large, chairman; C. A. Sevisler, Eldorado; H. A. Bauer, San Francisco; John F. Davis, Alameda; R. Webb, Alameda; W. S. Staley, Kenwood; P. S. Driver, Sacramento; W. S. Hall, Woodland; R. D. Robbins, Suisun; G. F. Weeks, Alameda; D. A. Ryan, San Francisco; O. Duffy, San Francisco; G. W. Lewis, San Francisco; R. H. Herron, Los Angeles; A. G. Fish, San Francisco; H. W. Brown, San Mateo; W. A. Clark, Mountain View; A. P. Griffith, Azusa; C. T. Elliott, Stanislaus; G. A. Doherty, Monterey; L. G. Brown, Los Angeles; R. D. Wickham, Los Angeles; F. K. Rule, Los Angeles; [illegible] borne, Santa Cruz.

Committee on Next Place of [illegible]: Alex B. Truman, San Francisco; T. J. Kirk, Fresno; C. M. [illegible], San José; M. Stewart, Rio Vista; [illegible] Parker, Vacaville; J. R. [illegible], Alameda; W. H. Howard, Santa Cruz; C. L. Flinden, Alameda; Charles Master, Cordelia; J. R. [illegible], San Francisco; C. T. Jones, [illegible]; Frank Mattison, Santa Cruz; [illegible] Sebree, Santa Cruz; J. M. [illegible], Modesto; E. L. Webber, Napa; [illegible] Dorland, Martinez; Grant Cole, Suisun; W. H. Labaree, [illegible]; E. F. Treadwell, San Francisco; [illegible] Greeley, Santa Ana; Judge Rose, [illegible], Pasadena; F. W. Leavitt, [illegible]; A. P. Van Duzer, San Francisco; [illegible] P. Butcher, Santa Barbara; [illegible] McNab, Ukiah.

With the announcement of [illegible] mittees the convention adjourned [illegible] 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Tonight a public meeting [illegible] speeches by Duncan McKinlay, [illegible] Francisco, Judge Burnett of [illegible] Rosa and Frank H. Short of [illegible] was held at the Auditorium.

The Committee on Next Place of [illegible] Meeting held a session this [illegible] and decided to recommend [illegible] to the convention as the city [illegible] next gathering. Sacramento [illegible] practically no opposition, and the [illegible] tee report will be adopted.

The Committee on Platform and Resolutions is at work tonight, and it is understood that there is no doubt that the report to be presented.

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"I understand," says the correspondent, "that Lords Milner and Kitchener will jointly conduct the negotiations, and that Lord Milner will forward the final proposals to Mr. Chamberlain."

OFFICIALS HOPEFUL.

PEACE PRELIMINARIES.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, April 14.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Replying in the House of Commons today to the Liberal leader, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, who had asked whether any terms of peace had been suggested by the Boer leaders in South Africa, the government leader, A. J. Balfour, said it was impossible at present to say more than that a message had been received from the Boer leaders, through Kitchener, and that a reply had been sent to them. Further communications expected.

He said that the communication of the Boer leaders to Lord Kitchener was by no means to little more than a request for permission to use the cable in connection with Mr. Kruger and the Boer delegates in Europe regarding a basis for peace settlement. There is distinctly a hopeful feeling in official quarters.

NO PAUSE IN FIGHTING.

HEAVY CASUALTY LISTS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, April 14.—[By Atlantic Cable.] News of severe fighting in the field at the end of last week has been received by Lord Kitchener, who reports that about 200 Boers were killed, wounded or captured. There were also a hundred British casualties. The Boers also captured three guns and a quantity of supplies. Commandant Potgieter was among the Boers killed.

Lord Kitchener, in a dispatch dated Pretoria Sunday, April 13, reports that Col. Colenbrander, after defeating Commandant Biers' laager at Bronkhorst, moved his force by different routes from Pietersburg, Transvaal, to the north, blocking the lines of retreat. The movement commenced April 8, when the Seventh Dragoon Fusiliers attacked Moltpsfontein, supporting the Boers' position, and after a severe fight had seized a hill eastward of the position after considerable opposition, in which Col. Murray being wounded and Lieut. Lincoln being killed. Another account says five men were wounded.

Further reports on the operations have continued to come in. Colenbrander's latest report, April 12, gave the Boer losses in killed, wounded and prisoners at 105 and the colonel hoped to be able to report further captures.

Another severe fighting occurred April 11 in Western Transvaal, where General Hamilton has replaced Gen. Kekewich in command of the British forces. The Boers attacked Col. Kekewich's force near Rooiwal, and fighting at close quarters ensued. The Boers were defeated, leaving on the field 44 killed, including Commandant Potgieter and 34 wounded. The British captured twenty unwounded Boers. According to last accounts, General Hamilton was pursuing the retreating Boers under the Boer command. The British loss in this fight were 6 men killed and 11 wounded.

At the beginning of the pursuit Kekewich captured two guns, a pompom, a quantity of ammunition, and a number of Boers recently overpowered a strong British patrol sent from Rolfontein, Orange River Colony, to clear distant farms. An officer and two men were killed, 14 wounded, and the remaining members of the patrol were surrounded and captured. Lord Kitchener mentions in his report an inquiry into this reverse.

BRITISH STOCK CAMPS.

INVESTIGATION CONCLUDED.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, April 14.—The United States government's investigation of the big British stock camp at Port Chalmette practically has been concluded. Officers at New Orleans, says the Tribune's correspondent, contend that the finding will be that the post is in violation of the neutrality laws, and the admissions of the British officers in charge are sufficient proof of this fact.

Evidence collected privately by Col. E. H. Crowder, investigation officer; by secret-service men, and by the army officers now stationed at Jackson Barracks, constitutes the final report which will be forwarded to Washington within a few days. There will be no public inquiry.

Army officers at Jackson Barracks who supplied part of the information to Col. Crowder contend, according to the Tribune special, that the place, on the evidence given by the British officers themselves, can stand as nothing else than a continuous supply post for the British army.

CAMP IN MISSOURI.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) April 14.—A special to the Star from Jefferson City, Mo., says O. P. Gentry, Gov. Dockery's private secretary, returned today from Lathrop, Mo., where he was sent under instructions to make an investigation of the charges that a British post is being maintained there to supply horses and mules for the British army in South Africa. Gov. Dockery forwarded the secretary's report to Senator Cockrell at Washington this afternoon with the request that the Senator lay the matter before Congress. In his report Gentry says that the firm of Guiton & Harrington owns the sheds and land at the post, according to the statements of the county officers. He continues:

"I was informed that this firm shipped 2,000 head of horses and mules during the last year, most of them destined for South Africa. From appearances it looks very much like the business is largely conducted under British auspices. It is claimed, however, that all the compensation received by the firm is 35 cents a day for the care of each horse and mule fed for the British government. It is not my province to offer any suggestions as to whether international law has been violated. That question is obviously yet to be determined by the United States government."

Gentry says that twenty-one Sepoys who arrived at Lathrop recently will return to India soon with from 500 to 1000 mules for the use of the British army in that country.

CROWDER WANTS PEARSON.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, April 14.—Gen. Pearson, one of the Boer representatives in this country, was at the White House today and had a few minutes' talk with the President. He has received a request from Col. Crowder to go to Louisiana in connection with the alleged British camp at Chalmette, where, it is said, a base of supplies is maintained for the shipment of mules and horses to South Africa. Gen. Pearson will leave for Chalmette this evening.

KING IN THE PIT.

Special Box Constructed for Edward VII So That He Could See "Ben Hur" to the Best Advantage.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, April 14.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] King Edward tonight witnessed the play of "Ben Hur" from the pit of Drury Lane Theatre, but not from the ordinary pit.

When His Majesty signified his intention to see the play he requested that the royal box be reserved for him. Manager Collins doubted whether he would get a satisfactory view of the chariot race from the royal box owing to its nearness to the stage, and he sought a plan to enable the King to view the race from the front of the house. He finally conceived the idea of erecting a special royal box in the first row of the pit. The plan was submitted to His Majesty, who readily agreed to it.

Accordingly a commodious and elaborately-decorated box was erected, with a special covered passage to the street. The King, with three attendants, arrived punctually and stayed almost throughout the play. The house cheered his arrival and departure. The box was so arranged as to not obstruct the view of others in the pit.

FLASHES FROM THE WIRES.

The Bavarian government has forbidden the Prince of Thurn and Taxis to offer an asylum to the sisters of St. Clare, just driven from France.

Secretary of Foreign Affairs Zanez of Chile says that the last arrangement with Argentine is so satisfactory that it will end in a speedy and definite solution of the long-standing controversy.

With his mind a wreck and his physical condition bordering on collapse, S. Meyren Hecker, a talented young artist, has been taken to the State Hospital for the Insane at Trenton, N. J.

News has been received from the Swedish Antarctic expedition, whose leader is Dr. Otto Nordenskjold. The expedition disembarked at Snow Hill, Louis Philippe Land, where it will remain through the summer.

The Italian authorities continue to collect "conscience money" for the Vatican as a result of their efforts to run down the miscreants who robbed the Pontiff of f.8,000,000. The latest parcel of stolen property returned amounts to $50,000 in American government bonds.

All newspapers in Rio Janeiro are criticising the lease by Bolivia of a large part of the Acre territory to an Anglo-American syndicate. The Gazeta de Noticias says that if such a policy is initiated, the Yankees may soon be the real owners of many regions in South America, and will exercise a kind of protectorate over the whole continent.

PREMATURE EXPLOSION.

LAKE CITY (Colo.) April 14.—As a result of the premature explosion of a round of shots in the Lellie mine this afternoon, Jack McKinley was killed and William Moore so badly injured that it is thought that he will die. Both were married.

ELEMENTS ATTACKED BERLIN.

BERLIN, April 14.—A violent thunderstorm, accompanied by torrential rain, broke over Berlin and its vicinity early today, causing great damage. Many buildings were struck by lightning. The fire brigade was summoned to upwards of 200 places to extinguish fires and cope with floods.

OBITUARY.

Frederick Bryton.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Frederick Bryton, the well-known actor who was associated with Clara Morris at one time, is dead at his home in Rochester, according to a World special from that city.

But two persons were wounded in the fight at Bragg, in the Cherokee Nation, where it was reported that four men had been killed and several injured.

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EL FONSE SURPRISES TALENT AT OAKLAND.

LONG SHOT WINS THIRD RACE BY A NECK FROM BRUTAL.

Improvement in Form Shown by Oraviva Leads Mose Gunst to Make a Strong Bid for Him—Obia Played With Her Field.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 14.—The mile-and-an eighth race at Oakland today resulted in an upset. El Fonse, who was 15 to 1 at one stage of the betting won by a neck from Brutal. The latter started for the first time in the colors of his new owner, Barney Schreiber. Oraviva, who made a poor showing the last time out, won the two-year-old event by a nose from Lizzie Rice, the favorite. Mose Gunst was so pleased with the improvement shown by Oraviva, that he bid him up from $300 to $700. The stable retained him.

Obia won the mile race as she pleased, and Lass of Langdon led all the way in the closing event. Summary:

Five furlongs, selling: Ursula, 112 (Conley,) 11 to 10, won; Azarine, 107 (See,) 30 to 1, second; Knockings, 112 (Prior,) 6 to 1, third; time 1:02. Cathello, Jennie Hughes, Yankee Lass, Anni Max, Flitting, Sterling Towers, Lunga and Sirene also ran.

Four furlongs, selling: Oraviva, 107 (Troxler,) 13 to 5, won; Lizzie Rice, 112 (Foucon,) 6 to 5, second; Amoruna, 103 (Hoar,) 10 to 1, third; time 0:48¾. Tom Mitchell, Dick Roberts, Little Margaret, Clarinette, Estoy, Listo also ran. Toto Gratiot left.

Mile and an eighth, selling: El Fonse, 110 (Vickery,) 12 to 1, won; Brutal, 110 (Conley,) 7 to 2, second; Lena, 112 (Howson,) 18 to 5, third; time 1:56. Pian, Compass, La Borgia, Picador and Billy Lyons also ran.

Seven furlongs: Ada N., 104 (Hoar,) 4 to 1, won; Vairo, 112 (Foucon,) 6 to 1, second; Billy Moore, 109 (A. Kelly,) 15 to 1, third; time 1:27½. Axminster, Golden Light, El Oriente, Sir Hampton, Dollie Wiethoff and First Shot also ran.

Mile, selling: Obia, 101 (Donnelly,) 3 to 5, won; Antolee, 107 (Winslette,) 7 to 1, second; Gawaine, 101 (Hoar,) 15 to 13, third; time 1:41½. Rio Shannon, Aloha II and Idaho Chief II also ran.

Six furlongs: Lass of Langdon, 107 (Troxler,) 2 to 1, won; Our Lizzie, 115 (See,) 6 to 1, second; Prestano, 109 (Frawley,) 6 to 1, third; time 1:15. Mike Strauss, Dorian, Merops, Ben Ledi, Skip Me, Tiburon, Tyranus and Intrepedo also ran.

ENTRIES FOR TODAY.

Futurity Course, selling: Hard Night, Syce, Jarretiere D'Or, 114; George Whitney, Yellowstone, 117; Milas, Chandoo, Dandy, 122; Winnecook, Swift Light, Matin Belle, Flo Culver, 112.

Four furlongs, maiden two-year-olds, selling: Brummel, James F., 118; The Forum, J. H. Bennett, 110; Maud Sherwood, Darante, Annie F., Suiteima, Felice, 115; Escarola, Jennie McGowan, 107; Tamm, 118.

Six furlongs, selling: McNamara, Gold Baron, Narra G., Fine Shot, 106; Maresa, The Hoodoo, B. F. Mason, 111; Reina de Cuba, 104; King Dellis, 109; Marineuse, Scallywag, 108; Rey Dare, 103.

Seven furlongs, the Sofala handicap: Bragg, 83; Hagerdon, 108; Byron Rose, Bagdad, 105; Ellis Glenn, 85; La Goleta, 104.

Mile and a sixteenth, selling: Killeen, Wolhurst, Einstein, Casdale, Expedient, Decoy, 112; Fred's Mount, 108; Constable, 93; Larry Wilt, Lento, 96; Lady Meddlesome, 110.

Six furlongs, selling: Kitty Kelly, February, 109; Sharp Bird, Meehanus, 114; Oscar Tolle, 111; Bill Bohmanson, 108.

Memphis Summary.

MEMPHIS (Tenn.) April 14.—Montgomery Park results:

Mile and an eighth: Menace won, Searcher second, Jessie Jarboe third; time 1:58½.

Mile, selling: Emathion won, Josie F. second, Mr. Pomeroy third; time 1:44¼.

Six furlongs: Federal won, Toah second, Ice King third; time 1:15¾.

Mile: Terra Firma won, C. B. Campbell second, Felix Bard third; time 1:42½.

Four and a half furlongs, selling: Prince of Endurance won, Votary second, Cherokee Lass third; time 0:56½.

Mile: Drummond won, Pay the Fiddler second, Mr. Hinsey third; time 1:43¾.

SUPREME BASEBALL COURT.

SUGGESTION BY SPALDING.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, April 14.—A. G. Spalding has devised a new scheme, which has just been made public, for the control of professional baseball. After reviewing the history of organized baseball, in which he shows how the sport has been built up almost entirely through the National League, he gives it as his opinion that it will never be possible again to continue the government on the mode in vogue when the National League was the one great power operating under a national agreement to protect all organizations.

Taxation without representation seems to him a future impossibility. In other words, if minor league clubs pay for protection, they will insist upon representation to protect their interests. For that reason he suggests that the various leagues elect delegates to what might be termed a supreme baseball court with a chairman who would have active executive control of the body.

He would have this court settle all disputes between leagues and with players; would have it appoint all umpires and formulate the playing rules. Territorial rights could be regulated by this body, although Spalding is disinclined to have it enter in any way into the actual business of organization, such, for instance, as regulating the salaries of the players or controlling methods of procedure upon the part of club officials.

END OF MASPETH.

ONCE NOTORIOUS RACE TRACK.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, April 14.—Maspeth, the half-mile circle that revolutionized racing in this State, has been swept by fire. The grand stand, which seated 4000; the paddock, platforms and hotel are destroyed. In its last days it was known as the Queen's County Park, a picknicking resort.

About seven years ago a syndicate of racing men leased the place and built the half-mile track. Strings of electric lights were placed about the ring, and the famous night-racing meeting began.

Wonderful tales are told by turf goers of the tricks played there. It is known that in two instances a horse that ran last was placed first by the judges because men in power were betting on that horse. The electric lights neutralized colors so that many errors, unintentional and otherwise, were made in announcing the order in which racers had finished. The scandal became so great that racing in this State tottered in the balance, and finally a law was passed forbidding night racing. The financial loss caused by the fire is small.

FIFTY STRONGEST MEN.

NEW ATHLETIC COMPETITION.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, April 14.—College men throughout the United States have begun to take strength tests for the purpose of evolving the institution which numbers in its ranks the first strongest men among the American colleges. This competition is unique in intelcollegiate rivalry, as the athletes do not meet in actual test of strength. The university sends to a committee the statistical records of its fifty strongest men, and to the college whose athletes make the highest total is awarded the intercollegiate championship.

American Jockeys in Front.

PARIS, April 14.—At the St. Cloud races today W. K. Vanderbilt's Ladaric (Jenkins,) at 5 to 1, won the Prix du Petit Trianon. J. Reiff, Martin, Henry and McIntyre, the American jockeys each won a race.

Ocean Yacht Race.

NEW YORK, April 14.—An ocean race from Montauk Point to Gravesend Bay by way of Sandy Hook is to be one of the features of the annual cruise of the Brooklyn Yacht Club, just announced by Commodore Cook.

Ethelbert in Form Again.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Ethelbert, winner of the Brighton Beach Cup in 1900, and the favorite for the Suburban Handicap last year, will be trained again this year. Last fall Ethelbert was turned out of training and retired to the stud. He improved so much this winter that it was decided to again put him in training, principally for the $25,000 stake.

Ryan-O'Brien Match Off.

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) April 15.—The match between Tommy Ryan and Philadelphia Jack O'Brien at Louisville, on May 3, has been declared off on account of Ryan's previous engagements with the National Sporting Club of London.

Burns Defeats Tracy.

SALT LAKE (Utah) April 14.—Heavyweight Jim Burns of Spokane scored an easy victory over Tom Tracy of Portland, Or., at the Salt Lake Athletic Club tonight, putting Tracy out in the third round in a scheduled twenty-round contest. Tracy was hopelessly outclassed.

JAPANESE CRUSOE.

Seventeen Years of Solitary Life on an Island With Only Seaweed and Fish for Food.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HONOLULU, April 8.—[Wired from San Francisco, April 14.] The steamer China brings from Nagasaki a story of a rescued Japanese Robinson Crusoe, after seventeen years solitary life on a deserted island near Gensan, off Korea. The Japanese master of a fishing schooner first discovered a man on what was supposed to be an uninhabited island, but he was afraid to take him off, as he looked like some wild monster, with shaggy hair.

He reported the case to the Japanese government, and a torpedo boat was sent to the island. The man was brought back to Nagasaki, but it was some days before he could speak a word, and his mind appeared nearly gone. He had lived entirely on seaweed and fish, as he had no tools or iron implements of any kind.

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Bankrupt Stock Silks, Dress Goods

20-inch China silk, all colors, even weave, good quality; New York Store's price 40c; priced for this sale, per yard 25c

19-inch colored taffeta silk, complete range of colors, closely woven, pure silk, beautifully finished; New York Store's price $1.00; priced for this sale, per yard 67c

19-inch fancy silk, corded and lace stripes, street and evening shades; New York Store's price 95c; priced for this sale, per yard 49c

Black taffeta silk, 20 to 25 inches wide, lustrous soft finish; New York Store's price $1.50; priced for this sale, per yard 98c

Jacquard novelties in brown, green, castor, gray, cardinal and black, woven with small mohair figures; New York Store's price 35c; priced for this sale, per yard 19c

Misses' 25c Vests 12½c

Misses' fine ribbed vests, high neck and short sleeves, ecru color; New York Store's price 25c; priced for this sale, each, 12½c.

Women's 25c Vests 12½c

Women's fine ribbed bleached vests, lace trimmed, low neck and short sleeves; New York Store's price 25c; priced for this sale, each, 12½c.

20c Black Vests 10c.

Women's plain black vests, low neck and sleeveless, well taped throughout; New York Store's price 20c; priced for this sale, each, 10c.

Women's 35c Vests 19c

Women's fine bleach knit vests, high neck, short sleeves, silk taped; New York Store's price 35c; priced for this sale, each, 19c.

Women's 10c Vests 4½c,

Women's unbleached vests, low neck and sleeveless; New York Store's price 10c; priced for this sale, each, 4½c.

15c Dress Shields 5c

Fine quality stockinet dress shields, in three different sizes; New York Store's price 15c; on sale, while they last, per pair, 5c.

5c Skirt Binding 2c

Velveteen or corduroy skirt binding, colors only, good quality; New York Store's price 5c; on sale, while they last, per yard, 2c.

3c Card Hooks and Eyes 1c

Hump hooks and eyes, 2 dozen on a card, black or white; New York Store's price 3c; on sale while they last, per card, 1c.

2½c Hat Elastic 1c

Flat or cord hat elastic, black or white; New York Store's price 2½c; priced for this sale, per yard, 1c.

Linen or Silk Thread 1½c

Marshall's linen thread, black sewing silk, all numbers, and black and white machine cotton; New York Store sold these at 5c per spool; on sale, while they last, per spool, 1½c.

Bankrupt Stock Linings

24-inch dress canvas for facings and inner linings, plain linen color; New York Store's price, 15c; priced for this sale, per yard 8⅓c

Sea island percaline, 36 inches wide, just the thing for lining the popular gauzy dress materials, all colors; New York Store's price 20c; priced for this sale, per yard 12½c

Mercerized romain twill, used for fine tailor-made garments, light weight and lustrous; New York Store's price 25c; priced for this sale, per yard 14c

Mercerized satine, mocha finish, full 36 inches wide, all colors; New York Store's price 30c; priced for this sale, per yard 19c

36-inch percaline, all the new spring colors, lustrous metallic finish; New York Store's price 15c; priced for this sale, per yard 9c

New Millinery $4.98

A new collection of trimmed hats in the fashionable linen shades, new allover lace hats, new straw and chiffon shapes elaborately trimmed with handsome flowers, velvet ribbons and ornaments, new Eastern creations just arrived; on sale today, each, $4.98.

98c Hat Shapes 25c

New straw hat shapes, made of exceptionally good braid, plain black; New York Store's price 98c; priced for this sale, each, 25c.

19c Sunbonnets 10c

Women's and children's gingham sunbonnets, good patterns, well finished; New York Store's price 19c; priced for this sale, each, 10c.

$1.25 Petticoats 63c

Colored petticoats made from strong twilled material, red or blue grounds with white polkadots, finished with three ruffles; New York Store's price $1.25; priced for this sale, ea., 63c.

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BUSINESS.

The clearances sent by the local banks yesterday amounted to $1,051,734.93, a very large figure, especially for Monday. The business consisted of a very large volume of small checks and those for moderate amounts, no very large sum being involved in any transaction so far as could be learned. It means a generally active tone in business. For the corresponding day last year the clearances amounted to $639,627.37.

The New York stock market closed feverish and irregular with a weak undertone. Chicago grain markets were in a panicky condition, chief interest being centered in corn. London stock markets showed improvement on rumors of peace negotiations.

FUNDS FOR THE FIESTA.

The committee which has charge of the raising of funds for the coming Fiesta reports that it is not meeting with so much success as might be desired. This is not as it should be. The business men of Los Angeles have been enjoying an exceptionally prosperous season. It is generally admitted that this prosperity is largely due to the extensive and judicious advertising that has been done by Los Angeles in the past, through the press, the Chamber of Commerce, the Fiesta, and conventions of various kinds, which have brought this city prominently before the attention of the entire country. Such being the case, our citizens should not hesitate to "punch" liberally when the collector for the Fiesta celebration comes around. Merchants and other business men should not, however, be the only classes to contribute. The work of raising money for such enterprises has in the past fallen too heavily upon a few and too lightly upon the many. There are many "four-handed" citizens, not in active local business, who can well afford to lend a hand.

Another reason why we should make special efforts, just now, to keep up our reputation in this line of public entertainments and celebrations, is the fact that our brethren of Northern California have recently begun to realize that, if they want to make any kind of a showing of their section, in comparison with Southern California, they must wake up, and put their shoulders to the wheel in earnest. Consequently they are organizing committees, raising funds, getting up excursions and opening agencies in Los Angeles. All of this is very creditable and praiseworthy, but it should stimulate us to make still greater efforts in the future than in the past, so as to maintain our position as a favorite section for health seekers, and pleasure seekers, and home seekers. The judicious business man does not begin to stop advertising just at the time when he commences to reap the fruits of the money he has invested in this manner.

The amount of money asked for the Fiesta is only $16,000, of which $2000 is to go toward the entertainment of the Federation of Women's Clubs. This is certainly a trifling sum in comparison with the great amount of publicity which such an affair gives Los Angeles, not only through those who come here to see it, but through the hundreds of letters which are written, descriptive of it, to papers all over the country, and even in "furrin parts."

Thirty-seven years ago today the great and good Abraham Lincoln breathed his last, and the American nation was bowed down in grief, but the spirit of this grandest of Americans will forever live in the hearts and minds of his countrymen, and his life will always be an inspiration and example of all that is pure and noble. Peace to his ashes!

Southern opinion of President Roosevelt has changed considerably since his visit to Charleston. After seeing the "man on horseback" and hearing him speak, the people have come to the decision that Theodore Roosevelt as President of the United States is the right man in the right place.

"Abou Ben" Wu may yet find, if he persists in being so officious, that when the Chinese Exclusion Act is made up, his name, for deportation, will lead all the rest.

GOVERNMENT BY COMMISSION.

At the next general election the voters of California will be called upon to vote upon a measure known as Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 28, which will introduce some radical innovations in the conduct of State and local affairs. A careful inspection of this proposed amendment furnishes convincing evidence that it is a pernicious scheme for the establishment of a system which may aptly be termed government by commission, within its scope, which is by no means narrow.

The voters of the State will do well to bury this proposed amendment beneath an avalanche of ballots too deep for resurrection. It is evil in intent, as will presently be shown. It originated with the public-service corporations, and it was worked through the Legislature by stealth and deception. Few of the members voting for its submission were familiar with its provisions. If all members of the Legislature had taken the pains to examine it carefully, it would most certainly have been defeated. As the Legislature failed conspicuously in its duty in this regard, the responsibility for defeating this pernicious scheme devolves upon the people. If the latter are made to understand the measure, they may be trusted to defeat it.

The proposed amendment is too lengthy for reproduction entire, within the limits of this article. If adopted, it would establish a bureaucracy, with extraordinary and unprecedented powers. It proposes to create a commission, to be known as the "State Commission," and to succeed the State Railroad Commission, the Board of Bank Commissioners, and the Insurance Commission, which offices are abolished. The "State Commission" is to be composed of five persons, who are to be elected, one from each of five districts, into which the State is to be divided. These commissioners are all to be appointed, in the first instance, by the Governor, one from each district, and it is provided that "the Governor shall designate one thereof to hold office for two years, one for four years, one for six years, one for eight years, and one for ten years, or until their respective successors are elected." The salaries of these commissioners are to be $6000 per year each, to be paid by the State monthly. The salaries, as will be noted, are the same as that of the Governor. Needless to say, they are excessive—and especially so, in view of the fact that the commission is empowered to travel about the State at pleasure, provision being made for the payment by the State of all traveling and other expenses. These expenses will necessarily be very heavy, as provision is made for stenographers, clerks, and other accessories, ad libitum.

The maintenance of this commission would hardly cost less than $100,000 per annum. By the expiration of the official term of the last gubernatorial appointee, the commission would have cost at least $1,000,000. True, the amendment provides that the cost of the commission shall be paid out of fines and license fees to be imposed and collected by the commission itself. But there is a serious question whether the cost of maintaining a State department can be imposed upon a particular class of persons. And even if this were permitted, the cost of maintenance would ultimately be paid by the public, in increased charges.

But the expensiveness of the commission would not by any means be its worst feature. The present Governor would have the naming of the entire commission, the shortest official term being two years, and the longest ten years. When it is remembered that to these commissioners are to be given extraordinary powers, amounting, in effect, almost to the exercise of legislative functions in some cases—the unwisdom of entrusting their appointment to the Governor—and particularly to the present Governor—will be at once recognized. With a commission thus appointed by a Governor in close touch with "push" politics and corporation rule, the people would indeed be cinched.

The proposed manner of electing the commissioners is enough to condemn the whole scheme. In the first place, all are to be appointed by the Governor, as above noted. For two years the people have no voice in the matter. At the end of that time, the term of one commissioner would expire, and the vacancy would be filled by electing his successor. But would the people of the State at large have any voice in this election? Not by any means. Each commissioner is to be chosen from a district, by the voters of that district. So the people of the other four districts would have no voice in the election. At the end of four years another commissioner would go out, and his district would elect his successor, and so on. Not until the expiration of ten years would the personnel of the entire commission be changed. Only once in ten years would the people of a given district be permitted a voice in the choosing of this commissioner. If the proposed commission is to be created at all—which it should not be—the offices should be elective from the start, and the candidates should be voted upon by the State at large. Under the proposed scheme it would be at least six years before the people could possibly change the majority of the commissioners first appointed. This is preposterous. No term should be longer than four years.

If Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 28 should be adopted, the "State Commission" would be given "exclusive jurisdiction and power . . . to determine, fix and establish all and every the rates and charges for services performed and commodities furnished in this State, by whomsoever performed or furnished, and wheresoever in this State the same may be performed or furnished, in respect to any and all the following: (a) Transportation of passengers and freight, and all other services by all common carriers; (b) gas, electric light and power and water for any purpose; . . . (c) telephone and telegraph services; (d) sleeping-car companies or corporations and all sleeping-car services, and also to make regulations concerning the same." It is further provided (and this is perhaps the most pernicious provision of all) that "from and after said appointment the State Commission shall in every respect, so far as relates to all and every the said rates and charges hereinbefore mentioned, and to all and every the matters and things, howsoever, connected with performing said services and furnishing and supplying said commodities, be the successor under the Constitution and laws of the State, of the boards of supervisors and city and county or city or town councils and other governing body or bodies of the several counties, cities and counties, cities and towns of the State, with the same powers, authority and duties now established by the Constitution and laws of the State, or hereafter to be established by the Legislature, except where the latter may conflict with this section." Another provision requires all corporations or persons rendering any of the services above named (transportation, gas, electric light, etc.,) to apply annually to the State Commission for licenses empowering them to do business.

Thus, it appears that, should amendment No. 28 be adopted, we should have a State commission to regulate, not merely the railroads and other public or semi-public utilities throughout the State, but to perform in considerable part the duties of city councils, boards of supervisors, and all other local governing bodies. This provision would virtually deprive all incorporated towns and cities of the right to operate any public utility, such as waterworks, electric lights, etc. The imposition of a license fee by the State would prevent cities and counties from imposing license fees upon the same corporations, thus depriving local governments of needed revenues, and increasing local taxation. Franchises heretofore granted by city councils and boards of supervisors, or other local bodies, will not be necessary if the "State Commission" is to be clothed with authority to "authorize and empower the conduct of business in this State." The payment of franchise taxes, percentages of earnings, etc., to local governments, will no longer be requisite.

Only some of the most glaring evils of Assembly Amendment No. 28 have been pointed out in the foregoing. There are others, but those named should suffice to consign the measure to everlasting oblivion. We are not quite ready to enter upon a protracted period of government by commission.

GET-RICH-QUICK SCHEMES.

As is usual in times of great prosperity, the country just now is overrun with all kinds of schemes for the working of the gullible portion of the public—and it is really astonishing how large that portion is. The innocent hayseed is by no means the only one who bites at the glittering gold brick, in some shape or another.

Among other things there has been an epidemic of so-called "home building associations," to which some of the State governments have recently been devoting attention. A few days ago it was announced that a great number of poor people in Kentucky had lost their little savings, aggregating millions of dollars, through the failure of a number of speculative companies, which, having been ruled out of the mails of the Postoffice Department, had gone to the wall, leaving their victims in the lurch.

A specimen brick of another kind was received by The Times a few days ago, in the shape of a neatly-printed circular from a Chicago corporation, which promises to make everybody who takes stock in it rich, in less than no time. All you have to do is to send in your subscriptions to stock, with the necessary remittance, to the company, and it will do the rest. You will have no further worry whatever. In fact—although the company does not, for obvious reasons, say so in its prospectus—it would probably be better for you to forget all about the transaction.

The prospectus starts out with the statement that almost all great fortunes have been made, not from the receipt of dividends, but by the manipulation of securities. To do this successfully, large capital is required. The Chicago company proposes to raise this capital by contributions from hundreds of thousands of comparatively poor people, and so give them the same chance that the millionaire has. Says the circular: "The whole secret of success in the speculative field is to have the power to depress values, the means to buy securities at low prices, the ability to inflate prices and to create a market on which to unload." Exactly. How easy it looks. "Nothing can prevent the success of such a company." Sure enough—as far as the "company" is concerned—but how about the stockholders? That is quite another story.

The able Chicago expert goes on to point out that prospectors for oil and investors in mining properties often get no return for their labor and outlay of money. "But the New York stock market and the opportunities it affords for making money are perpetual. Did one ever hear of the supply of securities running short?" No indeed, nor ever will they, so long as a fool is born every minute.

Coming down to figures, the prospectus announces that shares of this company are $10 apiece, and that anyone can buy as many as he desires, not to exceed one hundred. Says the company:

"The purpose is to make this a general concern, rather than a combination of a few men of large capital. The latter have the power and the necessary means, while the majority of persons have limited knowledge of stock transactions, or of the amount to be made by careful operations. The company will come nearer the purpose of its incorporation by securing a hundred thousand investors, each taking one share of stock at $10, than if ten men were to subscribe each for $100,000 worth of the capital stock."

Undoubtedly. It is suggested that another advantage of this plan may be that, while a hundred thousand small investors would be likely to pocket their loss—to grin and bear it—the few men of large capital might be tempted to ask inconvenient questions.

Inclosed with the circular is a sheet of ten numbered coupons, to be sent with the subscription for stock, and to be forwarded to friends, with a recommendation that they should invest in the company. As a further inducement to undertake this missionary work, the company promises to pay a commission of $2 cash for each coupon sent to the company.

It would not seem probable that many intelligent persons would nibble at a bait like this, but they undoubtedly will. These people understand their business. They know that Barnum was right, when he declared that the American people like to be humbugged.

A St. Louis divine predicts that the millennium will come in ten years, and that when it does mankind will be able to fly. Is this the reason the management of the St. Louis Exposition is postponing the affair from year to year?

Over thirty shots were fired in an Oklahoma saloon, and but one man was hit. We fear the correspondent has made a mistake in the name of the locality, or else western marksmanship is backpedaling.

The efforts of the spavined Democracy to capture the next House puts one in mind of a wind-broken old nag with the springhalt trying to come under the wire ahead of a Cresceus.

Mars' Watterson thinks Jimkay Jones was too honest to succeed in politics. Possibly Mars' Watterson isn't honest enough. What is one man's meat is another man's poison, you know.

Horrible thought! What if the Prince of Wales doesn't like canvasback duck? Can we afford to feed him on juicy beefsteaks at the present price of cow meat?

Sousa, the "March King," is reported to be working on another novel. Mr. Sousa can blow his way to fame and fortune far quicker by his horn than by his pen.

The bray of the Bryan mule from its Lincoln stall will not act as a rejuvenator to the Democratic leaders in striving for reorganization and harmony.

In attempting to reorganize the befuddled Democracy the leaders will find they have the biggest kind of a Chinese puzzle on hand to decipher.

Dry Sundays are becoming so frequent in New York that an exodus to Kentucky may break out as hot weather approaches.

If Mr. Vest could have his way about it a Chinaman outside a dime museum would be the rarest kind of a sight.

Brooklyn has a lady footpad. It was always supposed that the fair sex preferred being held up to holding up others.

The dove of peace is again fluttering over its South African roost with a "wish-I-could-light" expression in its eyes.

J. Pierpont Morgan says America is good enough for him. How about the rest of your terrestrial ball, J. P.?

Senator Quay says he is in favor of solar-plexus jujutsa for John P. Elkin as Governor of Pennsylvania.

If beef continues to soar skyward that stunt of the old cow clearing the moon will be no myth.

The Philadelphia political pie appears to have some leaky places in the crust.

It is quite apparent that Minister Wu has been too much Americanized.

WINDFALL FOR DOWIE.

CHICAGO, April 14.—By the terms of Frederick Sutton's will, filed for probate in the Lake-county court, John Alexander Dowie, head of the Zionists, and who styles himself Elijah II, is made heir to an estate of $50,000, most of which is in New Zealand, whence his benefactor comes. Sutton had left all that he had to Dowie, but a few days before his death concluded to remember his sister and three brothers, who are still in New Zealand. A codicil providing for them was filed with the will.

AT THE THEATERS.

THE BURBANK. Into the tapestry of the drama Opie Read has woven a character brocade. It is a delicious play called "The Starbucks," which James Neill produced at the Burbank Sunday night for the first time west of Chicago and before New York or Boston had seen it.

"The Starbucks" has been hailed as marking an epoch in the evolution of the drama, and though it is lacking in several of the essentials of a successful play, it presents so much that is novel, virile, ingenious and thoughtful, that its production should not be taken as a matter of course. Good plays are not to be seen every week, and this one has rare popular qualities as well as literary and dramatic ones. No known writer but Opie Read, with his talent for observation, his genius for character creation and his sense of dramatic contrast, could have written "The Starbucks." It would require an equal literary faculty to do it justice. If it had the Sardou-like strength of Augustus Thomas's work, it would be a great masterpiece. As it is, it is entertaining, but not absorbing.

The spectator is shown the interior of a Tennessee log cabin and there the first two acts occur. The members of the Starbuck family, in disposition and physique are about "de color ob er new saddle," which is the way the black servant describes his first wife, who liked music so well that she ran away with "a yaller barber who pinked one er them banjo things."

Opie Read makes plentiful use of his joke book and some of the repartee sounds like that of a newspaper paragrapher, but in the main it is a facial product of the Tennessee clay. It is homely and universal, so that no one mistakes it and everyone appreciates it. It is said that there were men about town in Chicago who used to go into the Dearborn Theater every night of its run there, as they would drop into a vaudeville show, just to enjoy Read's humor.

Jasper Starbuck is a moonshiner, and what plot there is concerns his arrest by an old-time enemy, who resents the refusal of Jasper's daughter to marry him by betraying the secret of unlawful whisky-making. This enemy, Lige Peters, is a typical bad man and all the villainy in the play is in him. He succeeds in bringing Starbuck before the Federal judge when the moonshine secret, which has been reserved to sustain the interest, is confessed by the prisoner in a lengthy, sentimental and tiresome speech, relating Starbuck's soldier ancestry and his own devotion to the Union cause. The judge tells him that if the marshal doesn't see him he may walk out, and the marshal appropriately closes his eyes. The last act is illogical and the entire play would be far weaker than it is if the shadow of Peters's villainy were not so cunningly projected; it stands out in half relief in a very bright, quaint picture. The play is not a drama so much as a study of character. Here Read is on his own stamping ground and his correct, indigenous observation cannot be questioned, nor can more than a hint of its quizzical humor be conveyed.

The acting was pitched at a fine level of competency, and there were several instances of marked distinction. Miss Neill made as much of a departure from conventional standards in the acting of his company as Opie Read did in writing the play. The stage manager's usual axiom, "Keep moving," was relegated; instead everyone kept almost as quiet as they do in the still life of Tennessee. Real people seemed to be on the stage, and as a revelation of the company's versatility the production was a marvel. Original stage business that showed an unusual brain in action somewhere was introduced. It required some daring to attempt making the uninteresting atmosphere of Tennessee interesting. The success of it was another triumph for the Neill company.

Mr. Neill took the part of Jasper Starbuck in a way that showed his fitness for such roles, though his versatility does not make him unfit for other roles. His lanky person and drawling speech dominated the action and his thorough appreciation of the character made him real and forceful. When versatility is considered it is not disparaging to the others in the cast to say that Edythe Chapman outshines them. There are few leading women with her artistic discrimination, intellectual subtlety, sense of dramatic effect, emotional force and finesse of execution. These do not make her work in "The Starbucks" the most effective, but they make it the most worthy. She played the petulant, rough-visaged wife of Jasper Starbuck, with her restricted shuffle, her suspicious mind, her stiff-jointed walk and the narrowness of the soul of a woman who came from the poorhouse and who has never seen anything but the mountains of Tennessee. The real actor shows the background, the perspective in the life of a character and Miss Chapman is one of the few who can do that. Clifford Dempsey has the trick, too, in a masculine way and his Lige Peters was forceful and impressive.

George Bloomquest had a fine opportunity as a google-pated, bare-footed country stammerer and he richly improved it. He dressed the part so ludicrously that his appearance set the audience into the deepest laughter of a play full of laughs. His make-up alone, is worth the price of admission. John Burton's faithful representation of a drawling mountaineer was appreciated, as was the studious acting of an exalted, love-sick country preacher by Arthur Croswell. Julia Dean had a congenial, natural part in the ingenuous Lou Starbuck, the flower of the family. The fresh and pretty innocence of Mary Elizabeth Forbes was absorbed in the part of a divorced woman. Frank McVicars's massive personality and faultless diction was seen in the judge, and Donald Bowles gave a straightforward rendition of the judge's son. The sweetness and gentleness of a negro mammy was exquisitely conveyed by Lillian Andrews. Scott Seaton played one of the finest creatures of Read's fiction, the seductive colored servant, Kintchin.

There will be a farewell matinée Saturday.

ORPHEUM. Sidney Drew and his wife have a vaudeville novelty at the Orpheum. It is a sketch written to the tune of Kipling's "On the Road to Mandalay," from which George Dean has selected the line "The dawn comes up like thunder out'er China, cross the bay" to illustrate his text. The sketch is called "The Yellow Dragon," and it gives Drew a chance to deliver a stump speech on the Chinese Exclusion Act, in which he condemns the yellow devils for a dirty lot. He climbs over the railing of a dainty American home in a Chinese seaport, disguised in the clinging vestments of a Celestial. He is an American Secret Service man, and has discovered a Chinese plot to kill all the whites at the coming dawn. They track him to the house of a widow (Mrs. Drew,) where, in saving her life, he is compelled to impersonate her husband. It is when a Chinese merchant appears in search of the detective that he gets off the oratorical outburst against the Celestial kingdom. By an ingenious ruse he has gotten a signal to an American ship in the harbor and by the time the merchant unmasks him Yankee soldiers are in the street and the town is safe. The curtain drops as he asks the widow if he can't continue playing the character of husband. It is a daring, dainty, original play in one act. It has atmosphere and charm and is well produced by a company of five.

The gilt-edged nature of this week's bill is furthered in the musical melodrama, "Gringoire, the Street Singer," that Homer Lind and his company presents. Like the Drew play, it has fine merit and is well acted. The story of Gringoire has been as much a favorite with dramatists as that of Paola and Francesca; but this is its first adaptation to the vaudeville stage. The situations and lines are broadened, which detracts from its poetic value, but the sweet story of the singer who wins the girl he has not dared to hope for, remains as in all versions. Lawrence Barrett played the drama "Gringoire" here years ago. In his play the verses were recited; Homer Lind sings them. He has a powerful voice, too powerful for the Orpheum, which he makes effective in the rollicking French street songs. W. V. Ranous plays the senile monarch, Louis XI, with crafty zeal. The barber has an able impersonator in Fenwich Leach. Zelie Davenport and Ada Nevil are also in the company.

Gorman and Keppler have a knockabout sketch with broad comedy. Keppler is a graceful girl, whose slender figure is delightfully refreshing in several vigorous dances. Fred Stuber, an expert banjoist, is the other newcomer. Louis A. Simon, Grau Gardner and Company hold over with their laughable farce, "The New Coachman," and Frank Lincoln has several additions to his funny entertainment. The Melani Trio introduce more soothing Italian music, and the biograph closes the bill.

LOS ANGELES THEATER. Max Heinrich and his daughter, Julia, a contralto, who are highly praised for their singing, will appear at the Los Angeles Theater tomorrow night. The programme includes selections from Schumann, Schubert, Dvorak, MacKenzie, D'Albert and Horrocks. Students with notes from their teachers will be given reduced rates.

CHUTES. The theater at the Chutes changed its bill last night with Fay Bainter, who suggests Josephine Gassman, at the head of the list, with coon songs and dances. The Callenders gave an operatic duo. The bill also included Young Merritt, juggler; Beatrice Flynn, singer, and the Mannings in a sketch, "The Race Horse Sports."

CURRENT COMMENT.

The Authentic Version.

A bird in the bush is worth any number on the spring hat.—[New York World.

Expunged.

By honoring President Roosevelt the people of South Carolina have erased the Tillman blot and set themselves right with the world.—[Kansas City Journal.

Of the "New" Brand.

Russia is periodically accused of making or attempting to make a secret treaty with China. There appears to be a general willingness to recognize Tsi An as a woman who can keep a secret.—[Washington Star.

A Beastly Shame.

The London Post has discovered that Chicago packers are seeking to control the price of beef in England. This must be considered the limit, for if we control the Briton's roast beef we will control the Briton also.—[Chicago Post.

Ought to Feel Encouraged.

Emperor William is none the worse because John Wanamaker warmly grasped his hand and said: "I am glad to meet such an enterprising young man." And Mr. Wanamaker can stand the advertisement.—[Boston Globe.

Superfluous.

The newest English engine of war is an armored motor car equipped with pompoms and Maxims. Why the artillery? The purchase of a few New York automobiles would insure enough fatalities and save the cost of armament.—[New York Mail and Express.

Almost as Impervious.

A bartender in Nebraska City did his best to cure Carrie Nation of her saloon habit, but it is not likely he accomplished much. She is as impervious to hints of this nature as are the officers whom she is trying to shame into performing their duty.—[Buffalo Express.

Stronger Than He.

Cecil Rhodes hoped by the provisions of his will to anglicize the civilized world. But fate, which chooses its means with a sublime disregard to human wishes, may use his weapons to Americanize it instead.—[Baltimore American.

Quite a Difference.

American methods are illustrated by the fact that while 100 tons is a load for an English freight train, an average load on one of our railroads last year was 540 tons. On two British railroads it costs from 48¼ cents to $1.38 to move a ton of freight one mile, while the cost of a leading New York road is 23½ cents a mile. No wonder the European world is waking up to these marked differences.—[St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

To Whom Honor is Due.

The time is near at hand for summer plans. And the prettiest trips yet thought of are by bands of good women who are not planning for themselves, but for the children of the poor. Men will soon be asked to put their hands into their pockets in behalf of soiled and unattractive youngsters in whom they feel no interest. But their response should be prompt and generous. For the dollar spent to send a child of the tenements to the farm, the seaside or the mountains for a fortnight or more is a dollar spent for the saving of life, the shaping of character and the cause of good citizenship.—[New York Mail and Express.

THE WINDOW SILL.

Behind the scarlet bloom within
A green and golden jardiniere
I catch the glitter of a pin
Thrust in a knot of shining hair.

A hand disturbs the lilacs' mist
That reaches up the window case
And checkers with its amethyst
The border of the curtain lace.

The shaken flower goblets bend,
And waves of sweetness slowly spill,
As one, with freedom of a friend,
Leans lightly on the window sill.

The sun ascends the azure steep
Above, then dashes toward its edge
His golden spokes; and still they keep
The trysting at the window ledge.

Until a shadow, rosy-gray,
Among the lilac branches slips—
The young man, turning, goes his way,
A tender smile upon his lips.

Half drooped, I see the shining knot
Of hair, a slender figure, still
As in a dream, and wonder what
Was told across the window sill.
—[Hattie Whitney, in Frank Leslie's for April.

DICKINSON HOMEWARD BOUND.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 14.—Consul-General Dickinson and Mrs. Dickinson left Constantinople today on their way to the United States.

RIPPLES OF HU

Personal.

(He:) Then it's all over
(She:) Yes, for you.—[Press.

Her Hat.

"My Easter hat was a
"Was it? Why, I didn't
"Nor I. It was one I dreamed.—[Philadelphia Bulletin.

Not Encouraging.

(He:) It is reported
that we are engaged.
(She:) Is it? What
people do say!—[Somerville

Exactly.

(Freddie:) What's
dad?
(Cobwigger:) Something
seldom gets inside a
York Sun.

Not the Usual Way.

"Yes, he's going to
who used to work for
of it!"
"Well, what of it? Most
a girl and let her work for
ward."—[Philadelphia Bulletin.

Practical Philosophy.

(Daughter:) Pa, does
difference between
(Pa:) That buttons
clothes is accident. That
never sews them on
York Press.

His Definition.

"What is your idea of a
"A statesman," said
tossel, "is an officeholder who
thinkin' about quail on
while and remember
eagle.—[Washington Star.

Resignation.

(Employment Agent:)
Mrs. Hauskeep, but I'm
a cook that would suit you.
(Mrs. Hauskeep:) Never
got over all that. Just
let me see if I could suit
delphia Press.

An Unlucky Day.

"No, sir, I won't start
place on Friday. It's too
"Pshaw! You're not
are you?"
"Yes, in that particular
started on Friday I'd
day excursion rates."—[
News.

Easy to Accomplish.

"I am tired and sick of
Dombell, and I want to
quaintance. I want to
that will keep him from
to me again."
"Yes?"
"Yes; and for that purpose
ing to take advantage of
portunity to lend him $5."—[
News.

APRIL MAGIC.

Flute-like across the morning
A lyric note comes
From April's young ventriloquist
To welcome spring.

Look where you will you
This small magician
Spells of sweet music
Dreams of green leaves.

Now here, now there,
But just as you would
You glimpse the first
grass
Close at your feet.

And when the gray yields to
And tempts once more
clear.
Behold a crocus!—token
That spring is here.
—[Frank Dempster Sherman
Woman's Home Companion.

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other large shipment
Bradbury Mandolins
at $7.50. These are
finest Mandolins
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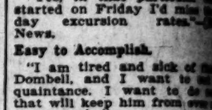

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THE OIL INDUSTRY.

ARIZONA LAND VALUES JUMP IN OIL FIELDS.

SPECIAL EXPERTS ENGINEERING DEVELOPMENTS.

Several New Enterprises About to Commence Business—Acton Oil Field Will Have a Blow-out Wednesday—Trading on 'Change.

Land values have taken a jump in the Mineral Point mining district, situated a few miles north of Prescott, and it now takes a double eagle to get title to an acre of possible oil-bearing land. The boom was started when the Manhattan Oil Company, which has completed arrangements for the sinking of the first well. The work will be in charge of Los Angeles drillers, Robert Williams, F. D. Humiston and M. Bogardus of this city having gone to the new district to try and locate the drill to oil sand.

Another enterprise in the territory which is under the supervision of Los Angeles capital, is the Pinal Paraffine Oil Company, which controls promising claims near Riverside, Ariz. A local expert, named Parker is now on the ground supervising the erection of a derrick and the installing of a rig. The company is confident that it will be ready for work by May 1.

The Rand Oil Company at Phoenix has been reorganized under the name of the Camel Back Oil Company. The capital stock has been reduced from 200,000 shares at $1 a share to 200,000 shares at 50 cents. Funds for work have been raised in Phoenix only. The derrick and drilling rig are now on the ground, and work will be commenced just as soon as enough money has been raised to assure the completion of the well to a reasonable depth.

BLOW-UP AT ACTON.

There has been a good deal of blowing about the Acton field, where it is believed is one of the greatest oil deposits in the State ready to be opened up; but the greatest blow will occur on the property of the Arizona Oil Company Wednesday, when an effort will be made to explode one of the hills of light shale. Officers of the company and a few friends will leave this evening for the field with a large supply of dynamite, and the surface croppings on the hill will be destroyed, samples of light shale have been taken that smell strongly of oil. The odor is so similar to kerosene that in certain quarters it has been believed that the ground has been struck. The company is going to try and prove that this is not a statement of fact.

ON 'CHANGE.

SOUTH BISBEE SELLS.

But one sale was made during yesterday's session of the Stock Exchange, as the transfer of 1000 shares of South Bisbee mining stock, at 14¼ cents a share.

Trading bids and offers for listed oil stocks were: Alpha, 10 cents asked; Brea, 97 cents bid, $1 asked; Brea 5, $3.80 bid; Central, 66 cents bid, 67 cents asked; Central Point, $1.05 asked; Crown Point, 19½ cents bid, 25 asked; Consolidated, 16 cents asked; Fullerton Consolidated, 3 cents bid; Fullerton Oil, 5 cents bid; Home, 6¼ asked; Globe, 15 cents bid; Home of Fresno, $3.75 asked; Imperial, $5.50 asked; Pacific Slope, 1 cent bid; Parker, 10 cents bid; Reed Crude, 30 cents bid, 34 asked; Senator, 6 cents bid; Southern Consolidated, 5¾ cents bid, 2 asked; Uncle Sam, 1 cent bid, 1½ asked; Union, $58 bid, $61 asked; United Petroleum, $100 bid, $105 asked; Western Union, $140 asked; Whitlock, 3½ cents bid, 4 asked; Whitlock Consolidated, 1 cent bid, 3¼ asked; Wolverine, 4½ cents bid, 6½ asked.

Closing bids and offers for unlisted oil stocks were as follows: Northern Consolidated, No. 2, 2 cents bid, 5 asked; Northern Consolidated, No. 1, 1¼ cents bid, 2 asked; Hercules, 8 cents bid; Piru, 5 cents bid, 8 asked; New Century, ½ cent bid, 1 cent asked; Southern California Oil, 20 cents asked; Sunset Consolidated, 1 cent bid, 1 cent asked; Sunset King, 1 cent bid; Sunset Czar, 1½ cents asked; Russian, 2 cents bid; Menges, 92 cents bid; Hub, 80 cents asked; Mexican Eagle, 25 cents asked; Grand Central Oil Development, 15 cents bid; Fillmore, 1 cent bid; Ventura Consolidated, 20 cents asked; Potomac, 2 cents bid; Pennsylvania, 8 cents asked; Union Petroleum, 4 cents asked; Rand Oil Company, 12½ cents bid, 13 asked; Blinn, 2 cents bid; Home Oil, $2 asked; Eureka Crude, 15 cents bid.

The following delisted mining stocks offered: Arizona Giant, 5½ cents asked; Bisbee, $23.50 bid, $25 asked; Bisbee, 10½ cents asked; South Bisbee Copper, 14¼ cents bid; Arizona Arkansas Copper, Zinc and Lead, 2 cents bid, 5 asked; Venture Hill, 2½ cents bid, 3¼ asked; Verde King, 36 cents bid, 49 asked; Red Cloud, 20 cents bid, 30 asked; Lorna Verde, 14 cents bid, 16 asked; Wedge, ⅝ cent bid; Bisbee, 7 cents asked; Green Mountain, 5 cents asked; Exposed Treasure, 28 cents bid; Rand Mountain, ¼ cent bid; Lincoln Gold Mining, 10 cents bid, 14 asked; Greene Consolidated, $21 bid.

PETROLEUM MARKET.

The average grade of local fuel oil sold in market at from 45 to 55 cents per barrel in the field. There is much oil that can be secured at 40 to 45 cents per barrel at the wells.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

(THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P. M.)

SAN FRANCISCO, April 14.—At the morning session of the Oil Stock Exchange sales were made at the following figures: California Standard, 19 bid; Piedmont, 10 cents; Sterling, $1.52½ bid; Sterling, $1.52½; Sterling, $1.60; Claremore, $3; Monarch, 17 cents; Peerless, 4 cents.

The closing figures were: Sterling, $1.52½; Sterling, $1.62½; Sterling, $1.65; Sterling, $1.55; Bear Flag, 5 cents; Petroleum, 9 cents.

CREDIT BALANCES.

CITY (Pa.) April 14.—Credit balances, $1.15; certificates, no bid.

REAL ESTATE SALES.

H. Whitmarsh has sold to J. M. C. Marr, as trustee, a lot, 35x165 feet, on the east side of Hill street, between Second and Third streets, and adjoining the Conservative Life Building, with a nine-room two-story frame house, for a price in the neighborhood of $20,000. Exact figures were not learned from parties.

Fred R. Fox has purchased of J. M. Elliott, as administrator of the estate of William Lee, deceased, fourteen unimproved lots, 50x125 feet each, ten on the north side of Twenty-third street, west of Central avenue, and four on the south side of Twenty-seventh street, west of San Pedro street, for which the sale has been confirmed by the Superior Court.

E. Pomeroy has sold to Judge J. McKinley through Lee A. McConnell & Co., 150x200 feet, on the east side of Main street, between Twelfth and Thirteenth streets, with double frame dwelling house, for $12,500. The same firm has sold for Clark & Bryan to McCormick Bros., a lot, 90x145 feet, on the west side of Grand avenue, between Third and Fourth streets, extending back to the block to Bunker Hill avenue, for $6250, and purchasers will build two apartment buildings upon the property that will contain four

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RIPPLES OF MIRTH.

Then it's all over?
Yes, for you.—[Detroit Free Press.

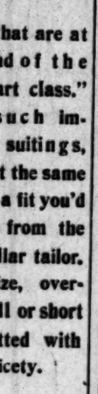
It is reported around
we are engaged.
Is it? What idiotic
do say!—[Somerville Journal.

What's "inside
Something that
gets inside a history.—
Sun.

He's going to marry the
used to work for him.
what of it? Most men
and let her work for him
—[Philadelphia Bulletin.

Pa, dear, what is
mean between accident and
That buttons fly off a
is accident. That a man's
sews them on is fate.—
Press.

"Artlessness is at the head of the high-art class."



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The man who trades his eyesight for money makes the poorest trade of his life.....

I put rubber glasses on my customers and people have learned to have confidence in me, so that when I make a declaration as to the needs of the eye my knowledge is accepted.

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New shipment, beautiful new cuttings.
Sugar and Cream, a pair.....$6.00
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Women's Oxfords

A swell little patent leather Oxford, made on the newest last; with common-sense heel. As pretty a little Oxford for the price as you'll find in Los Angeles. We carry an assortment of shoes and oxfords at $3.50, larger and finer than any other store shows. Shoes at all other prices as well.

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SEE our display of Smart Hats, Stocks, Fancy Hose, Vests, Shirts and Suitings.

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COMPLETE TREATMENT, $1.25.
Consisting of CUTICURA SOAP (25c.), to cleanse the skin, CUTICURA OINTMENT (50c.), to allay itching and soothe and heal, and CUTICURA RESOLVENT (50c.), to cool and cleanse the blood.

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BOSTON DRY GOODS STORE.
239 South Broadway, Opposite City Hall, Los Angeles

Your linen needs are well provided for here at all times—just now we offer you the price inducement. We did not expect to do so at this season, but feel that these

Linen Reductions

Will be the means of acquainting a great many people with our Linen Department.

Near the linens you will also find a complete assortment of Fiesta Bunting and of American Flags in fast colors, sizes 4x8ft. up to 12x24ft.

70-inch extra heavy cream satin damask Irish Linen. Reduced from $1.25 to $1 yd.

72-inch bleached double satin damask; all new patterns. Reduced from $1.25 to $1 yd.

63-inch bleached linen damask in pretty patterns, Reduced from 75c to 60c yd.

⅔ satin damask dinner napkins with plain border for hemstitching. Reduced from $3.50 to $2.75 doz.

22x44 extra heavy huck towels with white and gold borders. Special 20c each.

18x36 hemmed huck towels with red, white and blue borders. Splendid value. 15c each.

Embroidery Sale This Morning.

Do not overlook the embroidery sale which begins this morning. The goods are all made on the finest cloth and consists of cambric, nainsook and swiss embroideries, insertings and beadings 6 to 14 inches wide at 35c the yard. Some of them are worth $1.25.

Also a line of Allover for shirt waists and similar uses at 50c the yard.

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EL VERDE GRAPE JUICE.

Unfermented. Unadulterated. The El Verde Grape Juice is made of the very choicest grapes grown in California. For people who want a pure grape juice, rich and delicious, they will find the El Verde entirely to their satisfaction. It is put up by Louise Cary Smith at the El Verde Vineyard, and the grapes are freshly picked, sound and ripe and pressed daily duying the season. There's a rich flavor to the El Verde that you'll scarcely find in any other Grape Juice. Single pints, 30c; dozen pints, $3.25.

Smoke Jevne's Fine Cigars.

208-210 S. Spring St.—Wilcox Building.

Glenwood and St. Clair Ranges

National Blue Flame Oil Stoves
Insurance Gasoline Stoves

JAMES W. HELLMAN, 161 N. Spring St.

Sand

Was used at one time as a floor covering. It's not the fashion now so we don't carry it. But we do carry carpets and matting that would turn our ancestors green with envy could they but see them. You can, so don't lose any time in dropping around.

Here's a few prices:

Brussels carpets 75c to $1.10 a yd.
Rugs from a $1.00 up.
China matting 18 cents yd.
Fancy matting 30c to 60 cents yd.

I. T MARTIN'S Furniture and Carpet House.
531-3-5 South Spring.

Wheel Chairs Rented or Sold.

THE CHOICEST GROWN.

In the gardens are the fruits and vegetables raised from our seeds. Our customers have as much confidence in the seeds as we have. They get this confidence from the results. We select the seeds so carefully they must be reliable.

Reeds, Raffia,

In all colors for making Indian Baskets, hats, etc.

GERMAIN SEED AND PLANT CO.,
326-330 South Main St.

Our Strawberries

Are getting nice now, but not so nice as they will be a little later. You'll find the best fruit here, our growers adepts, have the best land and all the best varieties. We have them gathered often with the most exacting care—it'll pay you to buy your berries from

Tel. 550. LUDWIG & MATTHEWS, MOTT MARKET.

Admiral Hay Press

The only press with a successful Self Feeder.

It presses three charges to each round. See it in operation every Saturday afternoon.

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Pride of Japan Tea, finest grown, delicious flavor, per lb 60c

3 lbs. Walnuts	25c	7 lbs. California Prunes	25c
Almonds per lb	15c	3 lbs. Dry Peaches	25c
3 pkgs. Seeded Raisins	25c	Dry Pears per lb	10c
2 lbs. Cluster Raisins	15c	Evaporated Apples per lb	10c

GASOLINE STOVES And Kitchen Utilities for summer necessities.

H. GUYOT, 414 South Spring.

McCall's Patterns and Fashion Sheets.

Coulter Dry Goods Co.

Tuesday, April 15.—The Coulter store does not aim or claim to belong to that class of establishments known as "bargain houses" but when owing to our command of the market we can control worthy merchandise at anything under market value and pass it on to you—our customers—at a saving, we are very glad to do it. Examples follow:

35c

Wash Dress Goods Formerly 50c.

Honiton lace novelties, one of the handsomest of the French wash dress goods—one hundred and fifty distinct styles in the line to choose from in the very swellest stripe effects shown this season. All the choice colorings such as gray combinations, yellow and black, greens, linens, blues and other shadings. Those of you who were fortunate enough to participate in last week's wash goods "specials" will be the first comers after these, we are sure.

$2.00

All-over Chiffons worth $2.75 to $5.00.

All blacks, all whites, black with gold, black with irridescents, beautiful white and black effects, and white with gold, tucked, corded, lace and applique effects. It's our usual summer clean-up, only sixty days ahead of time. If you're thinking of a new dress or waist you can hardly afford not to be here this morning.

25c

A Towel Special to Bring Crowds.

The linen selling goes merrily on. Today's news of towels will appeal to every thrifty woman who loves nice linens.

White hemmed Huck-a-buck Towels, three different patterns, size 20x39 inches, 25c.

Heavy white Turkish Bath Towels, size 27x54 inches, extra special value, 25c.

White hemstitch all linen Huck-a-buck Towels, very soft and fine, only 30c each.

$2.50 and $2.75 Damasks at $2.00 yd.

Some odd pieces of our very finest double satin damask linens, full 72 inches broad—lily, forget-me-nots and other choice floral designs.

Novelty Dress Goods.

White Rope Bedford Cords for tailor suits—the very latest idea for swell gowns, 44 inchss broad, $1.00 to $1.50 yd.

New Cream Mohairs and Sicilians just in; 50c to $2.25 yd.

COULTER DRY GOODS CO.,
317-325 South Broadway, bet. Third and Fourth.

A "Home Bank" can help to mould a successful future for a child. Loaned free by the Union Bank of Savings, 223 S. Spring St. Ask to see a "Home Bank."

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Order from this List.

We make deliveries to all parts of the city, and any order sent us, by telephone or otherwise, will be promptly sent to you.

Green Asparagus	New Potatoes	Spring Onions
White Asparagus	String Beans	Egg Plant
Strawberry Rhubarb	Wax Beans	Garden Peas
Bell Peppers	Tomatoes	Artichokes
Head Lettuce	Cucumbers	Cabbage

2000 Boxes of fine foot-hill Strawberries will be in this morning. Send us an order.

213-215 West Second St. Tel. Main 398.

The Superior Ranges.

CASS & SMURR STOVE CO., 314-316 S. Spring St.

OIL INDUSTRY.

A MESNA LAND VALUES JUMP IN OIL FIELDS.

EXPERTS ENGINEERING DEVELOPMENTS.

Several New Enterprises About to Commence Business—Acton Oil Field Will Have a Blow-out Wednesday—Trading on 'Change.

Land values have taken a jump in the Mineral Point mining district, situated a few miles north of Prescott, Ariz., and it now takes a double eagle to get title to an acre of possible oil-bearing land. The boom was started when the Manhattan Oil Company, which has completed arrangements for the drilling of the first well. The work will be in charge of Los Angeles drillers, Robert Williams, F. D. Humiston and R. Regardus of this city having gone to the new district to try and bring the drill to oil sand.

Another enterprise in the territory which is under the supervision of Los Angeles capital, is the Final Paraffine Company, which controls promising property near Riverside, Ariz. A local expert named Parker is now on the ground supervising the erection of a derrick and the installing of a rig. The company is confident that it will be ready for work by May 1.

The Inland Oil Company at Phoenix has been reorganized under the name of the Camel Back Oil Company. The capital stock has been reduced from 2,000,000 shares at $1 a share to 200,000 shares at 10 cents. Funds for work have been raised in Phoenix only. The well and drilling rig are now on the ground, and work will be commenced just as soon as enough money has been raised to assure the completion of the well to a reasonable depth.

BLOW-UP AT ACTON.

There has been a good deal of blowing done about the Acton field, where many believe is one of the greatest oil deposits in the State ready to be opened up; but the greatest blow will occur on the property of the Mesna Oil Company Wednesday, when an effort will be made to explode one of the hills of light shale. Members of the company and a few friends will leave this evening for the field with a large supply of dynamite. Where the surface croppings on the hill have been removed, samples of light shale have been taken that smell strongly of oil, the odor is so similar to kerosene that in certain quarters it has been reported that the ground has been struck. The company is going to try to prove that this is not a statement made.

ON 'CHANGE.

SOUTH BISBEE SELLS.

Another sale was made during yesterday's session of the Stock Exchange. It was the transfer of 1000 shares of the Bisbee mining stock, at 14¾ per share.

Many bids and offers for listed oil stocks were: Alpha, 10 cents asked; 9 cents bid, 11 asked; Brea Canon, 48 bid; Central, 66 cents bid, 68 asked; Central Point, $1.05 asked; Crown, 23½ cents bid, 25 asked; Consolidated, 3 cents asked; Fullerton Consolidated, 5 cents bid; Fullerton Oil, 5 cents bid, 5¾ asked; Globe, 15 cents bid; Home of Fresno, $3.75 asked; Independence, $3.50 asked; Pacific Slope, 1 cent bid; Parker, 10 cents bid; Reed Crude, 33 cents bid, 34 asked; Senator, 3 cents bid; Southern Consolidated, 5¾ bid, 6 asked; 2 asked; Uncle Sam, 1 cent bid, 2 asked; Union, $58 bid, $61 asked; United Petroleum, $100 bid, $105 asked; Western Union, $140 asked; Whittaker, 3½ cents bid, 4 asked; Whittier Consolidated, 1 cent bid, 2½ asked; Wolverine, 4½ cents bid, 6½ asked.

Bids and offers for unlisted oil stocks were as follows: Northern Consolidated, No. 2, 2 cents bid, 5 asked; Peerless Consolidated, No. 1, 1½ cents bid, 2 asked; Hercules, 8 cents bid; Piru, 5 cents bid, 6 asked; New Century, ½ cent bid, 1 asked; Southern California Oil and Gas, 5 cents asked; Sunset Consolidated, 1 cent asked; Sunset King, 1 cent bid, 2 asked; Sunset Czar, 1¾ cents asked; Russian, 1 cents bid; Menges, 92 cents bid, 95 asked; Mexican Rub, 80 cents asked; Mexican Petroleum, 55 cents asked; Grand Central Development, 15 cents bid; Fillmore, 1 cent bid; Ventura Consolidated, 26 cents asked; Potomac, 1 cent bid; Pennsylvania, 8 cents asked; Union Petroleum, 4 cents asked; Associated Oil Company, 12½ cents bid, 13 asked; Blinn, 2 cents bid; Home Oil, 32 asked; Eureka Crude, 15 cents bid.

Listed mining stocks offers were: Arizona Giant, 5½ cents asked; Bisbee, $25.50 bid, $26 asked; Bisbee, 16½ cents asked; South Bisbee, 14¼ cents bid; Arizona Commercial Copper, Zinc and Lead, 2 cents bid, 4 asked; Venture Hill, 2¼ bid, 2¾ asked; Verde King, 36 bid, 40 asked; Red Cloud, 20 cents bid; Bisbee Lona Verde, 14 cents bid, 15 asked; Wedge, ⅝ cent bid; Bisbee Standard, 75 cents asked; Green Mountain, 1 cent bid, 2 asked; Exposed Treasure, 38 bid, 39 asked; Rand Mountain, ¼ cent bid, ½ asked; Lincoln Gold Mining, 10 cents bid, 12 asked; Greene Consolidated, $21 bid, $22 asked.

PETROLEUM MARKET.

The average grade of local fuel oil is in market at from 45 to 55 cents per barrel in the field. There is much oil that can be secured at 40 to 45 cents at the wells.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

NEW YORK ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.] SAN FRANCISCO, April 14.—At the session of the Oil Stock Exchange sales were made at the following figures: California Standard, 19 cents; Fairmont, 10 cents; Sterling, 1 cent, $1.62½; Sterling, $1.60; Sterling, $1.55; Bear Flag, 5 cents; Monarch, 17 cents; Petroleum, 9 cents.

Closing figures were: Sterling, $1.62½; Sterling, $1.62½; Sterling, $1.60; Sterling, $1.55; Bear Flag, 5 cents; Petroleum, 9 cents.

CREDIT BALANCES.

PITTSBURG (Pa.) April 14.—Credit balances, $1.35; certificates, no bid.

REAL ESTATE SALES.

Henry Dreyfuss has sold to J. M. C. Marsh, as trustee, a lot, 35x165 feet, on the east side of Hill street, between Second and Third streets, and adjoining the Conservative Life Building, for a nine-room two-story frame dwelling. Price and price in the neighborhood of $8,000. Exact figures were not learned from parties.

Mrs. E. Fox has purchased of J. M. Elliott, administrator of the estate of Mary Lee, deceased, fourteen unimproved lots, 50x125 feet each, ten on the north side of Twenty-third street, west of Central avenue, and four on the south side of Twenty-seventh street, west of San Pedro street, for $2,000. The sale has been confirmed by the Superior Court.

Mrs. Kelley has sold to Judge J. C. Kelly, through Lee A. McConnell, a lot, 50x150 feet, on the east side of Hope street, between Twelfth and Thirteenth, with double frame dwelling, for $12,500. The same firm has sold for Clark & Bryan to McCormick Bros. a lot, 60x146 feet, on the west side of Grand avenue, between Fourth and Fifth streets, extending through to Bunker Hill avenue. The purchasers will erect apartment buildings upon the property that will contain four stories each.

MAY BE A CROOK.

Discharged Soldier Arrested for Begging on the Streets and Can Give No Account of His Movements.

Joseph F. Nuebel, a discharged soldier, formerly a member of Troop K, Fourth United States Cavalry, was arrested by Special Officer Foster in the Bonnie Brae district in the act of soliciting alms. Ordinarily the man would have been discharged, with the admonition to leave the city, but in Nuebel's case it was shown that he was not a worthy object of charity. An hour before the arrest the same man entered the residence of Detective Moffatt and asked for money with which to procure something to eat. The officer had a long talk with him, and the stranger displayed his discharge papers, and told such a pitiful tale of woe that the detective, instead of arresting him for begging, gave him some money, and told him to call at police headquarters today when a job would be found for him. The man said he had only secured 10 cents all afternoon. When later he was arrested by Officer Foster, and searched it was found that he had more than $11 on his person, and other things of value which he might have disposed of to get food. He was locked up, and his room will be examined and his record investigated.

BERKELEY SUMMER SCHOOL.

Nearly eight hundred students attended last summer's session of the University of California. The coming session from June 26 to August 6, 1902, provides for instruction in twenty-two departments—philosophy, education, history and political science, political economy, Greek, Latin, English, German, French, Spanish, Italian, art, library science, mathematics, physics, chemistry, botany, mineralogy, agriculture, forestry, irrigation and physical culture. The faculty will include, besides a number of the Berkeley professors, Josiah Royce, professor of the history of philosophy at Harvard; Henry Morse Stephens, B. E. Fernow, long in charge of the forestry work of the United States government, and now director of the New York State College of Forestry; Superintendent F. Louis Soldan of St. Louis, William A. Henry, dean of the College of Agriculture of the University of Wisconsin; J. Mark Baldwin of Princeton, Robert A. Harper, F. N. Scott of Michigan and Charles Sears Baldwin of Yale for English composition; Arthur Lachman, for chemistry, and Earnest George Merritt of Cornell for physics, and a number of special lecturers.

Men and women are admitted to exactly equal privileges. Liberally reduced rates have been offered by the railroads to attendants from all parts of the country.

Prospective students should file their applications before June 16. If a request is sent to the recorder of the faculties, Berkeley, Cal., full information will be forwarded concerning courses, living accommodations, railroad rates and similar matters.

HOW THEY MANAGE.

Doctors' Wives Trained to Arrange Things.

Sometimes the wife of a doctor can bring the husband around when he don't know exactly how to help himself. The wife of a certain well-known physician in Washington, D. C., concluded that coffee was the cause of the doctor's sleepless nights. She says: "He would retire and lie for hours unable to sleep a wink. I thought perhaps he was nervous from the coffee which he drank at his meals and suggested that he try Postum. To my surprise he objected most decidedly. I said nothing, but the next morning made Postum Coffee instead of the regular coffee and gave that to the doctor. I made it according to directions and it had a beautiful coffee color and flavor. He drank a cup and remarked that the coffee was unusually good that morning and asked for more.

From that time I served him Postum at every meal, and in the course of a week or two he showed such remarkable signs of improvement in health and strength that I told him he had been drinking Postum from the time he had begun to get better.

You never saw such a surprised man. He said: "Well, if the good coffee I have had is Postum, and leaving off regular coffee has made such a change in my health, I never want any other kind in my house." Since then he regularly prescribes Postum to many of his patients and with good results. Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

THE WEATHER.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.

	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
Boston	52	42	47	New York	48	40	44
Washington	62	34	48	Buffalo	42	34	38
Pittsburgh	60	36	42	Cincinnati	52	34	43
Chicago	54	34	44	St. Paul	50	28	39
St. Louis	58	44	51	Kansas City	58	44	51
Los Angeles	80	47	64	Jacksonville	82	58	70

The maximum is for April 13; the minimum for April 14. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Report and Forecast.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, 5 p.m., April 14.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecast Official.] At 5 o'clock p.m. the barometer registered 29.89; at 5 p.m., 29.87. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 59 deg. and 66 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 80 per cent.; 5 p.m., 71 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., east, velocity 2 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 7 miles. Maximum temperature, 78 deg.; minimum, 47 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Weather Conditions.—The pressure is highest on the North Pacific Slope and lowest in the Southwest. It is generally cloudy north, where there has been occasional rain or snow. It is fair and moderately warm in California. Cold weather continues in the mountain regions.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair tonight and Tuesday.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 14.—Weather conditions and general forecast. San Francisco data: Maximum temperature, 78 deg.; minimum, 54 deg.; mean, 66 deg.

The pressure has fallen slowly along the Coast from San Francisco northward. A "low" of the summer type overlies the valley of the Colorado, and maximum temperatures exceeding 90 deg. are reported in the Sacramento and San Joaquin Valleys. No rain has fallen in California. Forecast:

For Northern California: Fair Tuesday; fresh southerly winds in the interior; brisk westerly winds on the coast.

Southern California: Fair Tuesday; light southwest wind.

San Francisco and vicinity: Fair Tuesday; light north winds, changing to brisk westerly; cooler at night.

Sacramento and vicinity: Fair Tuesday; light north wind; continued warm.

Tide Table.—For San Pedro:

	High.	Low.
Tuesday, April 15	2:49 a.m.	9:58 a.m.
	5:01 p.m.	10:18 p.m.
Wednesday, " 16	4:16 a.m.	10:32 a.m.
	5:50 p.m.	11:28 p.m.
Thursday, " 17	5:31 a.m.	11:50 p.m.
	6:33 p.m.	
Friday, " 18	6:39 a.m.	0:22 a.m.
	7:06 p.m.	12:37 p.m.
Saturday, " 19	7:20 a.m.	1:07 a.m.
	7:31 p.m.	1:17 p.m.
Sunday, " 20	8:03 a.m.	1:46 a.m.
	8:10 p.m.	1:51 p.m.
Monday, " 21	8:41 a.m.	2:23 a.m.
	8:41 p.m.	2:29 p.m.

Liners

LINER RATES.

Rate for classified "Liner" advertising under any heading one cent a word each insertion, Daily or Sunday issues, cash in advance; $1.50 per line per month.

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WRINKLES—

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WE QUICKLY COLLECT WAGES, NOTES, board bills and accounts of every description, anywhere; representatives everywhere. We handle all of the collections for prominent firms but our specialty is bad debts—the ones you can't collect. Bank and mercantile references. HOLLYWOOD ADJUSTMENT CO., 526 Byrne Bldg. 17

L. A. VAN, TRUCK AND STORAGE CO. Household goods shipped to and from the East and North at cut rates; separate rooms in new fire-proof warehouse for storing; experienced packers and safe movers. Office, 112 S. Broadway. Tel. M. 6917. Residence, Tel. red 1430. R. H. DUNSTON, Prop.

WANTED—A PARTY WITH NICE TEAM of horses, with carriage, would like situation where they can be used; will work for $3 per day and my board and team. For particulars, call up PETZER 4701. 17

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Men's suits cleaned and pressed, $1.
321 N. SPRING ST., near Temple.
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Help. Female.

WANTED—GIRL OR WOMAN, NOT OVER 30, to do general housework in a small family. If there is a woman in the city who is willing to do housework for any one but a widower, she will find this a snap, and I would like to have her interview me at my office, 224 W. Second st., at once. G. A. SMITH. 17

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WANTED—WAITRESSES; STEADY WORK. Inquire D. H. HART, Natick House. 16

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WANTED—SITUATION BY BOOK-KEEPER with farm and horse experience; willing to going in country. Address K, box 62, TIMES OFFICE. 13

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WANTED — FOR 10 TO 12 PURCHASERS we have not suited in small houses; something at $750 to $1000; what have you? MARTIN, 136 S. Broadway. 15

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WANTED — BY EXPERIENCED NURSE, situation to care for an invalid; or would take charge of any case; can refer to former employer. 1035 S. BROADWAY, room 5. 'Phone John 9101. 15

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WANTED — YOUNG NURSEGIRL WOULD like situation; fond of children and can furnish references. 2304½ S. BROADWAY, room 3. 'Phone John 9101. 15

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WANTED—SMALL FAMILY WOULD LIKE care of house for summer in absence of owner, free or at small rental; will give A1 references. Address M, box 83, TIMES OFFICE. 15

WANTED—
ROBERT MITCHELL & CO.,
RENTAL AGENCY,
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WANTED—A SMALL BERRY, FRUIT AND alfalfa ranch to rent, take on shares or for salary, close to Los Angeles. Address M, box 84, TIMES OFFICE. 16

WANTED—IMMEDIATELY, TO RENT FURnished or partially furnished office or desk-room centrally located. Address K, box 59, TIMES OFFICE. 15

WANTED—TO RENT FOR 1 YEAR, COTtage of about 6 rooms. Address O, box 39, TIMES OFFICE. 16

WANTED—OFFICE OR DESKROOM. Address by letter, J. E. DEPUE, 212 W. Third. 15

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FOR SALE—LOTS; 4 LOTS IN BEAUTIFUL LOCATION; PICO HEIGHTS, ONE BLOCK FROM W. PICO CAR LINE ON HIGH GROUND; EXTRA FINE VIEW OF THE MOUNTAINS; BEST WATER IN THE CITY; CAN SELL YOU THESE LOTS FOR $250 EACH. FOR FULL PARTICULARS, CALL ON T. J. MOULTON, SOLE AGENT, 337 DOUGLAS BLDG. JOHN 7231. 15

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FOR SALE — SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY LANDS—

For sale—Fine chance to secure a good fruit, grain or stock ranch in Merced county, at the County Assessor's valuation.

We offer for sale as a whole or in suitable subdivisions, the property of the estate of Sarah Blake, deceased, containing 5227 acres of land in Merced county, California, at exactly the assessed valuation in 1898, or as a whole for $50,000. This estate is located on the Merced River, about 50 miles south of the Yosemite Valley, and on the direct line of the proposed railroad from Merced to the world-famed valley. The town of Merced, the county seat, is distant 22 miles, and Snelling, the nearest local town, is located about 3 miles from these lands. All the adjoining properties are well settled up, and churches, schools and other privileges are convenient.

The estate is composed of three classes of land.

First—About 640 acres of rich alluvial bottom land, traversed by the Merced River, and supplied with an abundance of water and wood, and suitable for fruits, vegetables and alfalfa, and every kind of grain raising.

Second—About 1200 acres of second bottom land, suitable for grain raising and general farming of all kinds without irrigation.

Third—About 3287 acres of rolling land, suitable for grazing stock the year round.

The Merced River bottom land is recognized as one of the best bodies of land in the State. The possibilities of fruit raising, vegetable and dairy products on all of the bottom lands to supply the mining, mountain and the great Yosemite Valley trade is unsurpassed.

Remember, these lands are offered at exactly the County Assessor's valuation, or in suitable subdivisions at $5 to $20 per acre; terms, one-third cash, balance in 1, 2 or 3 years, with interest at 7 per cent. The products of this county can be seen at the San Joaquin Valley Exhibition, in this city, on Broadway between Sixth and Seventh sts. For further particulars apply to WHITE MORTIMER, attorney at law, 73 Temple Block, Los Angeles, executor of said estate, or JOHN BLAKE, Dixon, Lee county, Illinois, also an executor of said estate, or J. W. KNOX, attorney at law, Merced, Cal.

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ATTENTION, STOCKMAN.
Sale of C. B. Rawson Estate.
2 good cattle ranches for sale in Inyo county, Cal., subject to confirmation of court; title perfect, independent water rights.
First, Bishop ranch, 2320 acres, 5 miles from Bishop; 2500 inches water; 500 acres, suitable for alfalfa, mostly in alfalfa; balance pasture; good dairy ranch, with house, creamery, barns, complete; ready local sale for all products at good prices; 800 head of milch stock; all sizes; 20 horses, 40 hogs, wagons and all necessary farming machinery; family orchard; vineyard, etc.
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Must be sold at once to close out estate; terms 20 per cent. down, balance on confirmation of court. Particulars of T. M. KENDRICK, administrator, Bishop, Inyo county, Cal.

FOR SALE—
COACHELLA VALLEY.
The earliest fruit and vegetable land in California; choice land $50 per acre; cantaloupe crop marketed in June last year paid over $100 per acre net; flowing artesian wells; property located on main line S. P., 120 miles east of Los Angeles. Call for full information, address COACHELLA LAND AND WATER CO., Coachella, Riverside county.

FOR SALE—16 ACRES, ALL SET TO APRIcots, peaches and oranges, mostly in bearing conditions, near Pasadena; on electric car line to Mt. Lowe; 1500 feet above the ocean; fine view of San Gabriel Valley and Pasadena; plenty of water; no frost, smut or scale. House, barn, chicken house and yards. Call or address J. H. GARDNER, Altadena, Cal.

FOR SALE—I HAVE A NUMBER OF FINE alfalfa and stock farms in this State for sale at prices ranging from $10 to $30 per acre with PLENTY OF WATER for irrigating, and at nominal cost.
W. CONWAY.
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FOR SALE—FREE; SEND FOR THE WEEKly Descriptive Land Journal; accurately describes the cheapest and very best most desirable ranches, homes, hotels, sanatoriums, resorts, mines, etc., for sale and exchange in all parts of the State. N. D. SICKELS, The Land Agent, 6 Geary st., San Francisco.

FOR SALE — COUNTRY PROPERTY; 35 acres in alfalfa, flowing well, house and barn, 25 head of stock, 20 of which are cows in milking, all farming implements; 14 miles from city, near creamery and railroad; this is income property and a bargain at $900. SHERWOOD & KOYER, 144 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—SALT LAKE ROAD WILL SOON be running. For State lands in Southern Nevada with plenty of water, at $1.25 per acre, 25c down, 25c monthly. J. C. PHERSON, 403 Stimson Block, cor. Third and Spring. A commissioner for Nevada in California.

FOR SALE—ORANGE LAND, $75 TO $100 PER acre; 20 miles from Los Angeles; main line of S.P.; abundant water supply; frostless belt. Apply to S. F. M'CLUNG, 254 S. Broadway, Los Angeles, Cal. F. A. POWELL, Fernando, Cal.

FOR SALE — IN MONROVIA, CAL.; A 7-room cottage with hot-air furnace in cellar; electric lights, telephone and all the comforts of home; lot 150x165; fruit trees in bearing. Address P.O. BOX 135, Monrovia, Cal.

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FOR SALE—$16,000; BUSINESS PROPERTY in Covina that will pay 10 per cent. on $16,500; will take

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WIDE-AWAKE, PUSHING, RELIABLE business man can now secure corporate interest, three to five thousand dollars, with salaried office and voice in management proportionate to investment. In established profitable business; trade extends over entire west and growing faster than present paid-up capital can handle it. Positively no agents. Address P.O. BOX 238, City. 16

FOR SALE—

A good cigar stand; good A No. 1 fixtures, etc., in business center of city, on Spring st.; will make good bargain if sold this week; no agents. Address X, box 15, TIMES OFFICE. 15

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THE PUBLIC SERVICE—IN THE COURTS AND OFFICES.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

A franchise was granted the Pacific Electric Railway Company yesterday for a line through the Sixth Ward. Restrictions regarding the use of steam locomotives were inserted in the ordinance.

Proposals to do the city printing were opened by the Council yesterday and referred to the Committee of the Whole.

The Council yesterday voted down the resolution of Pierce for a postal ballot to determine the wishes of the water-rate payers regarding the water collectors.

A final adjustment of the accounts with the Los Angeles City Water Company was reached by the Council yesterday.

A hard fight was made in the criminal court yesterday to set aside the information against "Bobby" Widney for grand larceny, but Judge Smith announced that he would probably have to deny the motion, for lack of jurisdiction. He is thinking about it and waiting for Attorney Rogers to submit some authorities.

On Ling Sing was held over for trial in the Superior Court yesterday for the murder of Wong Ung Wong.

AT THE CITY HALL.

SIXTH WARD FRANCHISE GRANTED TO HUNTINGTON.

TERMED A "RAILROAD FRANCHISE" IN THE DOCUMENT.

Provision Inserted Prohibiting the Use of Steam Power on the Road—No Restriction Regarding Freight. City Printing Bids Opened Yesterday. Franchise Application.

Henry E. Huntington yesterday obtained from the Council a valuable franchise in the Sixth and Seventh wards for the interurban lines of the Pacific Electric Railway Company. The concession is described as a "railroad franchise," and is granted outright to the company.

The right of way, except over intersecting streets, lies across private property. It would be impossible for any other company to make use of the franchise, and therefore it was not sold at auction. The franchise is in every respect similar to those granted the steam roads with the important exception that the company is prohibited from using steam locomotives. Inasmuch as the franchise is granted under the general laws relating to steam railroad franchises, it is debatable whether the restriction would hold good in court.

In its report favoring the granting of the franchise the Board of Public Works says:

"This franchise is asked for under State laws governing railroad corporations in existence at the present time, and we have taken the precaution to hedge it about with every restriction possible, such as regulating the speed of trains and the improvement of thoroughfares over which the proposed road shall pass."

As already related in The Times, the residents of the Sixth Ward are very fearful that the company desires to use steam and to do a general freighting business. Reference to the map shows that the route described runs to land belonging to the Huntington-Heliman syndicate at Eighth street, and that this corporation owns all the property between the terminus of the route described in the franchise and the main line of the Southern Pacific Railway Company on Alameda street. Nothing would be easier than for the company to connect its wide-gauge tracks with the Southern Pacific line, and thus ship freight without reloading.

There is nothing in the franchise as passed by the Council yesterday restricting the hauling of freight or prescribing the number of cars that may be run as one train. Whether the Pacific Electric Railway Company has any desire to run freight trains or not is unknown, but there is nothing in the ordinance to prevent.

Similar franchises have been granted to the Terminal and the Traction companies. In those franchises a restriction was imposed to the effect that a steam train should not be run over the road more often than once a day. City Attorney Mathews has gone further and inserted a provision prohibiting the use of steam locomotives. Section 6 reads:

"That no steam engine or locomotive shall ever be operated or run over, along or upon any part of the right of way, or within the city of Los Angeles, over, along or upon any part of the railroad to be constructed, operated or maintained under the right or privilege hereby granted. That no cars shall ever travel or be drawn or propelled upon the said railroad across any of the streets hereinbefore mentioned at a greater speed than eight miles an hour, and that no car or cars shall ever be alowed to stand upon said streets so as in any manner to obstruct the use of said streets by vehicles or pedestrians."

To prevent the company from making an elevated railway out of their new line the Council has provided that the roadbed and rails shall conform to the official grades of streets which are crossed, except where such streets have already been graded and improved. In case of improved streets the rails must be laid flush with the surface of the street, whether it be above or below the official grade, and the company must put their rails on grade whenever required by the city.

The term of the franchise is forty years.

Walker asked that action be postponed one week, when the ordinance was presented yesterday, but Allen replied that there was no sense in such a course. Walker was excused from voting, and the ordinance received the approval of the other members of the Council. It will now go to the Mayor for his approval and signature.

RETAIN COLLECTORS.

RESOLUTION DISAPPROVED.

Apparently the majority of the Council is firmly wedded to the plan for a central office of the water department, at which all water-rate payers will have to settle their bills. Yesterday the resolution presented by Pierce calling for a postal ballot of the rate payers to be taken by the Water Commission was voted down.

Pierce argued that the expense of retaining the collectors would be very slight—not over 3½ cents per rate payer per month—and that very many people would prefer to pay the slight extra cost rather than submit to the bother and inconvenience of paying at the central office.

Since it was proposed to rent the First National Bank building as a "central" office for the water department there has been much objection to the removal of the collectors. Those who use water object to going so far out of their way to settle their water bill, and many rate payers have appealed to Pierce for a change in the plans. Pierce has been unwilling to give up his cherished plan of renting the First National Bank building as a preliminary to its purchase by the city, and so he introduced the resolution for the retention of the collectors. If the collectors were retained, Pierce thought that the chief objection to leasing the bank building would be removed.

But the Council refused to approve the resolution yesterday, and it now devolves on the Council to select a place where the rate payers can pay their bills. One member of the Council has declared, so it is creditably stated, that no building to accommodate the water department shall be erected on the City Hall lot so long as he is in the municipal legislature. He has refused to give any reason for his fatuous opposition to the plan advocated by President Powers.

In discussing the resolution presented by Pierce some of the Councilmen expressed the fear that the collectors would be a political machine if retained.

"By removing the collectors," said President Powers, "you take a potent political machine off the streets. No other city of this size in the United States now uses collectors under municipal ownership. In Kansas City, where I formerly lived, the new system worked to a charm after the people once became accustomed to it. When the Council presented the water bonds to the people it was with the understanding that the collectors would be abolished, and a commission created, to be elected by the people. So long as I am in the Council I shall stand by those two propositions."

Bowen was in favor of referring the matter to the Water Commission for a recommendation. After much further discussion the resolution was voted down, five to two, Bowen and Pierce voting in the affirmative.

SEWER BONDS.

ITEMS OF LEGISLATION.

Because certain important details are yet lacking the City Attorney did not present the ordinance for the sewer-bond election yesterday. If it appears to the Council that many weeks will elapse before a decision is obtained from the Supreme Court relative to the right of the city to issue school bonds, it is probable that a special election will be called, at which the sewer-bond issue alone will be submitted.

To the Board of Public Works was referred the request of the Conservative Life Insurance Company, asking permission to place a large fuel tank in Hill street, twenty feet below the surface, a short distance north of Third street.

J. L. Palmer, who distributes bills, appeared before the Council yesterday to complain that discrimination is used in licensing the distributors. He stated that he is the only man in the city who pays the license imposed by ordinance, but that there are many men who engage in the business. An investigation by the Chief of Police was ordered.

To the Finance Committee was referred the communication from the Police Commission with reference to the stars given to "regular" police officers created by the Council, and called in by the board. Pierce insisted that every one of the deputies who has a star needs police powers in the discharge of his duties.

On recommendation of the Health Board the position of assistant health officer was created with a salary of $150 a month. An assistant health officer has been carried on requisition for over a year, Dr. Sumner J. Quint filling the position. The City Attorney will draft an ordinance for presentation at the next session.

All bids for brass hose valves were rejected by the Council yesterday.

The proposition of Doran & Brouse to furnish hot oil for street sprinkling at 50 cents a barrel of forty-two gallons was accepted. The Street Superintendent was instructed to purchase what oil is needed of this firm until further orders. The city formerly paid $1.05 a barrel.

Bids for pipe and water department supplies were referred to the Water Commission, unopened. Powers and Bowen insisted that this course should be pursued, and it carried despite the opposition of Walker and McLain.

The suggestion of Clark & Bryan that they construct a portion of the proposed storm drain in the Lone Star tract, with the understanding that the cost will be refunded upon the sale of the storm-drain bonds by the city, was conditionally accepted by the Council yesterday. Plans acceptable to the City Engineer and the Council must be submitted before final approval is given.

On recommendation of the Finance Committee the City Auditor was instructed to transfer to the street-sweeping fund from the building fund $600, and from the general sewer fund, $900.

WANT ANOTHER.

FRANCHISE APPLICATION.

To connect the Brooklyn-avenue with the Pasadena electric line the Pacific Electric Railway Company yesterday made application to the Council for a franchise commencing at the intersection of Pleasant avenue and Bridge street; thence northwesterly along Pleasant avenue and Macy street to the intersection of Macy street and Mission road; also commencing at the intersection of Gallardo street and Mission road; thence southerly on Gallardo to Macy street.

This franchise will facilitate the handling of Pasadena traffic by the Huntington corporation.

FINAL ACCOUNTING.

WAGE SCHEDULE APPROVED.

After much travail the Finance and Water Supply committees of the Council have finally reached an agreement with the Los Angeles City Water Company for a settlement of the accounts kept while the sale of the water bonds was pending. It will be remembered that the water company included in the running expenses of the plant the salaries of the officers and directors and the pay of an attorney, as well as an extra $1000 paid the engineer.

To these and other items the Council took exception, and for some months the settlement has been pending. Finally a compromise was reached by which the $5000 asked as compensation for the officers of the company was reduced to $2400. Other items were cut so as to increase the amount due the city.

According to the statement contained in the settlement the receipts of the water company from September 1, 1901, to February 3, 1902, were $218,465.74. The total expenditure during this time was $130,000. After deducting certain items from the expense account it is found that the balance due the city under the compromise arrangement was $90,356.44.

On February 15 the company paid the city $75,000 on account, $10,206 was paid by the company in adjusting the pump contract at the Buena Vista-street station and $2500 was paid Dillon & Hubbard, leaving the amount still due the city $2650.44.

Walker opposed the report and voted "no," but his opposition availed nothing.

The Council yesterday adopted the following salary schedule for the water department: One chief collector and adjuster, $150 per month; one cashier, $125; chief bill clerk, $125; rate inspector, $100; deputy rate inspector, $75; waste inspector, $75; construction inspector, $75; deputy collector, $125; deputy collector, $80; six field collectors, $80 each; book-keeper, $85; assistant book-keeper, $75; bill clerk and stenographer, $90; bill clerk and waste inspector, $65; janitor, $20.

Assistant superintendent, $150; draftsman, $125; engineer at Buena Vista pumping station, $125; engineer at the Beaudry pumping station, $75; reservoir keeper at Buena Vista street, $65; reservoir keeper at Bellevue reservoir, $65; headworks keeper, $65; meter man, $90.

Each field collector using a horse in the discharge of his duties, $15 per month additional.

The cashier is required to execute a bond of $2500 and the deputy and field collectors a bond of $1000.

CITY PRINTING.

NO AWARD OF CONTRACT.

Bids for the city-printing contract for the ensuing year were opened, by the Council yesterday morning and immediately afterward considered in executive session by the committee of the whole. Some of the Councilmen professed not to know their minds when the proposals were considered in committee, while others expressed the fear that immediate action would indicate a "previous arrangement." Accordingly action on the bids was deferred until next Monday.

Although proposals were submitted on a basis of circulation, The Times alone filed a sworn statement of the net daily average of copies sold. The lowest bid per 1000 of circulation was made by The Times, and the lowest flat rate was proposed by the Daily Journal, which paper also submitted a petition, indiscriminately signed, to prove that it is a paper of general circulation and entitled to consideration.

The Times-Mirror Company proposed to set the advertising in agate, or 5½-point type, at the rate of 1 9-10 cents per inch for each 1000 copies of the net daily average circulation of the paper; also to set the advertising in nonpareil, or 6-point type, at the rate of 1 8-10 cents per inch per each 1000 copies of circulation; also to publish in the same manner a: the flat rate of 56 cents per inch for each daily edition of The Times, advertisements to be set in either agate or nonpareil type, as the Council may elect.

Attached to the bid was an affidavit from Vice-President Harry Chandler showing the net daily average circulation of The Times for March last to have been 30,547 copies, and for the year ending February 28, 1902, 28,976 copies, all unsold and returned copies being deducted.

The Express proposed to publish the advertisements in agate for the flat rate of 42 cents, and in nonpareil for 40 cents, or at the rate of 3 cents per inch per 1000 circulated copies.

The Herald offered to set the advertisements in agate for 51 2-10 cents an inch, and in nonpareil for 47 cents an inch, or at the rate of 2 1-5 cents per inch per 1000 circulation for nonpareil type or 2¼ cents per inch per 1000 copies for agate type.

No bid was made by the Record.

The Daily Journal offered to set the advertisement in either nonpareil or agate type at the flat rate of 15 cents per inch per insertion, or at the rate of 5 cents per inch per the 1000 circulated copies.

WATER BOARD.

BIDS OPENED YESTERDAY.

At the meeting of the Board of Water Commissioners held yesterday afternoon the opening of bids for materials and supplies to be used in an extension of the waterworks system that will involve an expenditure of $250,000, was the principal feature. The bids were in accordance with specifications submitted to the City Council by the board, and were transmitted unopened from City Clerk Hance to the commissioners. The material to be used has a wide range, and includes everything necessary to a complete waterworks system. Bids were received from fifteen different firms, mostly local ones, but hardware supply companies of San Francisco and two or three other cities submitted figures. No one company has bid on all of the items in the specifications, the three largest being from the Crane Company, the Lacy Manufacturing Company and the Harper & Reynolds Company, and not one of them being for more than half of the total amount. It will take several days for Superintendent Mulholland and his assistants to tabulate the bids, and the successful bids will not be determined until after the meeting of the Supply Committee on Thursday afternoon next.

It was decided that hereafter in case of necessity the superintendent may be granted the power by the president and the chairman of the Supply Committee to make purchases of material up to $300.

On the recommendation of the Finance Committee, insurance to the amount of $8000 was ordered placed on the property of the waterworks system.

Superintendent Mulholland submitted plans for the main from the Buena Vista pumping station to Angeleño Heights, and states that the work would be completed within two weeks.

In accordance with a favorable report from the Committee on Extension, the water main on Central avenue will be extended from its present terminus to the city limits.

A communication was received from the City Auditor and Treasurer, stating that in accordance with instructions from the Council, 80 per cent. of the water revenue fund had been transferred to the water operating fund, and that this would be continued until October 1, 1902.

FEDERAL GRAND JURY.

Members of the Body are Sworn and Will Take Up Their Duties Today—E. E. Crandall Foreman.

The Federal grand jury for the first term of 1902 was impaneled yesterday in the United States Court, Judge Wellborn presiding. The members are: E. E. Crandall, W. A. Colwell, P. J. McMahon, Peter Durfy, William Raymond, W. A. Henry, F. E. Butler, Richard Moloney, Albert Phelps, Julius Vierick, Alfred Workman, W. B. Kemper, S. J. Keese, C. R. Taylor, D. Botiller, George H. Finney, William Franklin, Sylvester Goodenow, R. G. Weyse, John McArthur, A. G. Bartlett, Stephen Strange, P. P. Kiefer. E. E. Crandall was appointed foreman by Judge Wellborn, and the organization was perfected by the election of Mr. Colwell as secretary, when adjournment was taken until this morning.

A quorum of sixteen members of the jury is necessary for the transaction of business, and indictments cannot be returned without the concurring vote of twelve members.

The jury is composed entirely of residents of Los Angeles county, who were summoned by the United States Marshal last week. The work of the body is carried on with the aid of the United States District Attorney, and it takes up matters presented by that official for its consideration.

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AT THE COURTHOUSE.

UNDERWORLD NABBED "BOBBY" IN A TRAP.

WIDNEY PEOPLE HINT AT SENSATIONAL SCHEME.

Defendant is Being Sacrificed to Save Third Party—Judge Smith Thinks Jury Should Decide the Case—Father's Impassioned Plea for His Boy.

Hints of the broadest sort, promising a long line of sensations, were flung to the world yesterday, in the criminal court, during an extended argument in the Widney case on a motion to set aside the information. Grand larceny is the charge hanging over the defendant's head, and it grew out of scarlet escapades in March at the red-light house of Mrs. Lena Donahue on bloody Aliso street. It was a night affair, in which "Willie" Hanson of Boston feigned a stupor from "knockout drops" and "Bobby," the defendant, went through his pockets in full view of two police officers secreted under the bed.

"Bobby," is seems, has been trapped to save another.

"The whole truth has never been told in this matter," argued Attorney R. M. Widney, father of the defendant. "There is something back of all this furore over the arrest of defendant—something back of it. The defendant is not guilty of any crime under the law, nor any moral crime, for he was absolutely without intent, I believe, in the whole matter. But she was the one—that Donahue woman was the guilty one, and anything that defendant Widney did on that night was done on a deceptive statement from her, after they had filled him with drink, drink, drink, until he was not himself."

Such was the significant statement by the father that is so full of hints.

Those who know are sure that the defense is in possession of information with which to startle the town at the proper time, although neither Attorney Rogers nor other interested parties will make any disclosures for the present.

But it is alleged that "Bobby" has been made the silly victim of an underworld scheme to protect some third party of prominence in the upper world, and Mrs. Donahue is mapped out as arch conspirator.

"Bobby" was just a pawn, they say.

"And he certainly walked into the trap beautifully," said Attorney Rogers, "and the man who worked out the scheme was surely a wonder, and he isn't very far now from San Diego, I want you to know," he said laughingly.

"No," he continued, "I can't make any disclosures now, but I have absolute proof of all the facts right here in my pocket, and in due time things are going to pop."

FATHER'S PLEA.

It was with the deeper conspiracy in mind that Father Widney addressed the court to show that, according to the evidence, his son was an unwilling performer in the hands of Mrs. Donahue, Hanson and the newly-broached persons of mystery.

"The testimony in this case is so contradictory," argued the father, "even in the mouths of the prosecution's own witnesses, that the defendant ought to be given his liberty. The evidence is conclusive that there never existed in Widney's mind any intent to commit larceny. He acted solely upon suggestions from the woman and her co-conspirators, who felt pretty sure that they could easily swear him down in the courts. They didn't give him a fair show. Everybody was against him."

Then the father referred to certain portions of the testimony and commented on the witnesses as having "lied," "fabricated" and "faked."

"Again," he continued, "much of the stuff Mrs. Donahue puts into defendant's mouth is characteristic of her mind—not of his. For instance, she says he told her he had made lots of money with the "drops" and once had $25,000 in New York; that he begged her to assist him and soon they could go to Mexico with $10,000 and start a dance hall; that he had men staked out in the city's big hotels and wanted just such a joint as hers to rob them in. Now that whole business is out of her mind—just what you would expect from a woman whose whole knowledge has to do with those things. Why, everybody knows that rich people who visit those places don't take much money with them—just enough to defray an evening's expenses. And, if the defendant had ever secured $10,000, would he have wanted to go into partnership with such a woman? Common sense says he would have wanted to go into some reputable commercial venture."

Attention was then called to the fact that Widney did not visit the scarlet house a second time until two weeks after Mrs. Donahue says he suggested wholesale robbery to her. The very night, however, that Widney did drop in again, after a long time on his father's San Fernando ranch, Hanson promptly showed up to play his part in being looted while in a pretended stupor. According to the woman's story, "Bobby" must have been an expert "knock-out dropper," yet he only dropped into a glass of beer eleven drops of chloral, of which, according to one analyzing chemist, thirty bottlefuls would be required to put a man asleep against his will.

Father Widney pronounced Hanson a perjurer.

"On such evidence," finally he besought the court, "will you send the defendant out into the world branded with a felon's mark? On such evidence will you take ten of the best years of his life? If so, you had better cut his throat."

After this impassioned appeal for his son the father took his seat to await the decision of the judge.

"Bobby" sat as unconcerned as a cucumber.

THEORY OF NO CRIME.

Prior to the remarks of Attorney Widney, the motion to set aside was argued at length by Attorney Rogers, who outlined his position as follows:

"We contend that, under the authorities I will cite, the crime of larceny was not committed, as Hanson's money was not taken without his consent. A portion of the bills taken from Hanson were his and a portion were furnished by the landlady, Mrs. Donahue. With this borrowed money, Hanson lay on the bed waiting for Widney to take it. And before he went in to act his part in this play, which had all been rehearsed a week before, he knew he would not lose his money.

"Stolen? Carried away? How could it be when the detectives promised Hanson that his money would not get away, but that he would get it back again? Stolen? Certainly not! It was safe.

"There was no trespass and no taking without consent. Mrs. Donahue would be on trial here, too, if the whole thing had not been a play. They did not give Widney a chance."

In citing his authorities, Attorney Rogers read from one law book printed in England in 1791.

PEOPLE'S SIDE OF IT.

Deputy District Attorney Willis represented the prosecution and began his argument by saying that the District Attorney's office was eager to have the information dismissed if, technically speaking, no crime had been committed. Then he proceeded to show that a crime had been committed, maintaining that Widney never had received any encouragement from either the Donahue woman or from Hanson.

After Judge Smith had listened for two hours to the arguments pro and con, he announced that, in his opinion, he was without jurisdiction to set aside the information when the motion was based on the sufficiency of the evidence, and that whether the testimony proves that a crime has been committed is a question solely for a jury.

"I am sure," said the judge, "that all this evidence is for the jury to pass upon and not the court. Nevertheless, if you can submit authorities, Mr. Rogers, to convince me that I have the power to weigh the evidence on a motion to set aside, then I shall take up the matter."

Attorney Rogers is sure that he can submit such authorities and meantime the motion is under advisement.

Intimations of the court would seem to show, however, that "Bobby" will have to stand trial.

LITTLE BOY'S HOWL.

AFRAID OF HIS FATHER.

Howling for abject fear of his father, a little boy created such a disturbance in the Courthouse yesterday that the corridors were full of spectators in no time.

He thought his father was going to kill him.

The man was Henry G. Larsen, a cook, living at No. 401 Echandia street, who was arrested last week on complaint of his mother, Mrs. Mary Larsen, charging him with insanity. She testified that her son, who is 31 years old, was subject to terrible fits of anger, during which time he was beside himself and not safe to be at large. He is also said to have a habit of hurling firewood at his family when things don't go right.

Dr. Walter Lindley and Dr. William Dodge, however, after a thorough examination, found him sane, although eccentric, and recommended his discharge. Judge Shaw let him go.

That her son was turned loose greatly exercised his mother, who swore positively that he was a dangerous character.

Outside the courtroom she took charge of the boy, who is perhaps six years old, and it was when the father tried to get him that he began to scream.

The man's mother dared him to touch the child, who cowered in a corner sobbing.

"Then I'll take him anyway—he's my son," said Larsen.

The boy ran down the corridor yelling for dear life, and kept looking around as if some terrible hobgoblin might be following him.

"My mother has made him afraid of me," said the father, sadly.

Mrs. Larsen, the wife, took no part in the scene, but when the boy said he wanted to go with his grandmother, she went with them. Larsen and his wife's mother went off together.

"They've locked me out at home," said Larsen; "I guess I'll have to walk the streets."

WARNER SAFE.

O. P. Warner, a friendless old nuisance, who has been hanging around the Walton House at No. 609 East Second street for a long time, was declared insane yesterday and committed to the hospital at Highland. He imagines that he is worth millions and that he has an enemy for every dollar. The other day he chased little Annie Magee with a hatchet. Although almost stone deaf, he hears miscellaneous spirits talking to him. During his examination yesterday he kept gazing at the ceiling and whispering: "Yes, I'll be up there in a minute."

SALOON FIGHTING.

BALLONA'S HARD BATTLE.

Saloonists have to spend many a corky day now trying to get a license from the Board of Supervisors, provided the people in the neighborhood of the proposed "boozorium" file protests. Where a protest is filed against the renewal of a license, the board requires a petition signed by three-fourths of the voters of the precinct, and, when such a petition is filed, the Anti-Saloon League makes a grim fight on the genuineness of every signature.

Yesterday the application of Jesus Saenz for the renewal of his license at Ballona was under consideration by the board. The whole day was spent on the validity of the petition, and finally the matter was continued until today. Every name on the petition is being sharply contested.

The application of G. Piuma for the renewal of a wholesale license at Old Mission was denied. This makes El Monte precinct a "dry" precinct, save for the "wet" clubs.

Supervisor Wilson announces that on Wednesday he will start an oil-wagon procession to Redondo to sprinkle two miles of road in that section with petroleum. Ten wagons, each hauling twenty-five barrels, will pass through University about 9 o'clock in the morning.

In spite of the recent decision of the Supreme Court the Supervisoral toga still rests on the expansive form of Hanley, Democrat, from the Fifth District. As soon as Judge Allen can get hold of the remittitur from the big court and officially recount the vote as ordered, Charles E. Patterson of Burbank, Republican, will be Supervisor. That will probably be several days yet.

LOST IS FOUND.

UMBRELLA STORY'S SEQUEL.

Prickly heat once broke out on the conscience of a woman who stole an umbrella in a Pasadena car, and after two years of suffering she recently attempted to make restitution to the owner by sending a $2 bill through the mails. How the package, containing the bill, a confessional letter and a name plate, reached the Associated Charities was told in The Times of Sunday. The name plate read A. R. Sprague, Salem, Or., and to this place Miss Tender Conscience, who lives in Los Angeles, sent the package, making it returnable, if not called for, to the Associated Charities here. In due course of time the package returned, and the Associated Charities advertised for Griffith.

The lost is found. It is Miss A. R. Griffith, if you please.

Miss Griffith called at the Charity headquarters in the Courthouse yesterday and got her $2.

"Yes," said Miss Griffith, "I remember the theft of that umbrella very well. It was nearer five years ago than two. Certainly she is to be pitied for having become a victim of extravagant umbrella jokes."

Miss Griffith lives at the Devon Inn on South Broadway, and there Miss T. Conscience will find her if she really wishes to apologize for all the trouble she has caused.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

SCHWEITZER MINORS. A. N. Wiggins asks to be appointed guardian of the three minor children of Louise A. Schweitzer, who committed suicide recently at El Monte by drowning in a tank of crude oil. Deceased's estate is valued at $3100.

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stockholders of the Los Angeles Brewing Company filed a civil suit yesterday against P. Max Kuehnrich, the president, for a general accounting with special reference to the dividend and expense accounts. The removal of Kuehnrich as president, general manager and director is also prayed for.

ENGINEER'S SUIT. W. G. Rutherford, erstwhile engineer in the Bullard Block, is suing J. H. Bullard, owner of the building, for damages in the sum of $7500. On December 6, while at work in the basement, which is alleged to be very dark, he got his forefinger and thumb of the right hand between some swiftly-running cogs and was badly injured.

NEW DIVORCE SUITS. Divorce complaints have been filed by Lizzie Dutch against James Dutch, Bertha M. Currey against Phillip S. Currey, Luella M. Dowling against George W. Dowling, and Fred Jorder against Bertha Jorder.

WOMAN NATURALIZED. Addie G. Harvey, a native of England, was naturalized by Judge Conrey yesterday.

DISBARMENT CASE. Attorney Edwin A. Meserve appeared in Judge Conrey's court yesterday and on behalf of Frank G. Bryant, against whom disbarment proceedings have been instituted by the Bar Association, asked for ten days within which to plead. The request was granted.

GAS ORDINANCE. Judge Shaw listened most of the day yesterday to arguments in the appeal case of F. A. Smith, who was fined $100 recently in the Police Court for violating the gas ordinance. The validity of the ordinance is at stake, and the court has it under advisement.

SUPREME COURT. The April session of the Supreme Court opened in Los Angeles yesterday afternoon, and various motions of varying interest to the legal profession were disposed of. Today applicants will be examined for admission to the bar.

THE INFERIOR COURTS.

DREAMS DISTURBED BY A FISH HORN.

FISH PEDDLER FINED FOR TOOTING OWN TOOTER.

On Ling Sing, Who Chopped Up Wong Ung Wong With a Hatchet, Will Be Tried for Murder in the Superior Court.

Charles Haigh, a fish peddler, was brought up before the bar of justice yesterday for tooting his own horn. The trouble was that the horn had a loud, harsh voice, and jarred on the esthetic temperament of P. A. Wagner, a watchman for the Redondo Railroad.

Wagner works nights and sleeps in the mornings—the mornings that Haigh doesn't peddle on Thirty-first street.

Haigh admitted blowing the horn, but protested with cutting scorn that Wagner is only a renter on the street, the inference being that if he owned the house he would like to hear the tin horn.

Haigh said all the neighbors were fond of it, and protested every time that he discontinued its Friday morning blare.

Mrs. Wagner, the wife of the watchman, told the judge not to pay any attention to that.

"These neighbors," she said loftily, "are not those we care to be neighborly with. They are down on us because my husband sleeps mornings. They screech and——"

"That will do for the neighbors," said the judge.

"Yes, sir, but they scream and clap their hands, and——"

"Stop, stop," cried the judge.

"Yes, sir, but they stamp and yell and——"

"Stop, that's enough," thundered the judge.

"Yes, sir, but they made the fish man blow the horn, and it's the loudest horn of any fish man's that comes on the street."

She lost her breath and stopped.

Haigh took the stand to crush the whole family. Haigh is an Englishman with black shirt sleeves. He was very haughty.

"There are some people born miserable," he said, with a fierce glare down at the complaining witness.

Then he gathered himself up.

"I have been peddling fish in this city for seven years and have never had a complaint against me before."

The court asked him if some of the neighbors hadn't protested against the noise.

Haigh waved him away. "Oh, I get fifty or sixty of those kicks a week. If I paid any attention to these I would never sell any fish."

"I thought you just said you had never heard any other complaints," said the court.

Haigh replied that he sold fish to the best people in the city. "Why," he said, "I sell fish to the Sheriff and the Chief of Police."

"Do you think you can keep out of trouble in the future?" asked the court.

"I could on that one street," said the fish peddler, candidly, "but I couldn't on the other streets. I make my living by blowing my own horn."

Justice Austin fined him $3 but suspended sentence.

Hatchet Man Examined.

On Ling Sing, the little Chinaman who hatcheted Wong Ung Wong, was examined yesterday before Justice Morgan on a charge of murder.

Sing and Wong had a row over a cheap watch, and Sing came by night to the bunkhouse of the brickyard in Boyle Heights, where Wong chopped him to death. The wounds were found about head and neck.

Wong fled to San Francisco, all the way in sixteen days he made 25 cents, with which he bought a pair of shears and a pigtail.

He remained in hiding for a time, but the tong of which the man got on his trail managed to be tried in a white man's court, being annihilated by the tong that gave himself up.

Ling Sing was held to answer without bail.

Policists.

The case against Tom Wong, who was accused of discharging a gun in his room, was dismissed yesterday by Justice Austin. Wong claims that he did not discharge the gun, but that when the officers first entered the room, but it was found by the latter.

Swan Johnson, an escaped convict from the chain gang, got ten days more to his term in Justice Austin's court today for having skipped out.

ATTORNEY'S FEES U[NITED]

United States Judge [Wellborn] Allows a Fifteen-hundred-dollar Attorney in San Luis Ob[ispo]

In the United States District Court yesterday Judge Wellborn made an order increasing the fee paid to Attorney Henry Ach, a San Francisco lawyer who acted as counsel for the estate in the bankruptcy case of Dennis & Rhegetti of San Luis Obispo. Attorney Ach's fees were fixed originally, but he appealed to Judge Wellborn that the amount was insufficient in view of the labor expended and the money advanced in prosecuting the case. Monroe and Judge Brittain supported Mr. Ach's request that his fees be increased.

The bankruptcy case has attracted attention at the time it was instituted. De Gottardi and Rhegetti are charged with having for $30,000, and upon attending circumstances, defrauded creditors to believe that a fraud was perpetrated. The men are charged with having alleged that their safe was robbed of $8000 by thieves, when in fact that $12,000 of the amount was used wrongfully, and they were ordered to pay this amount. In default of this payment they were ordered committed to the county jail at San Luis Obispo.

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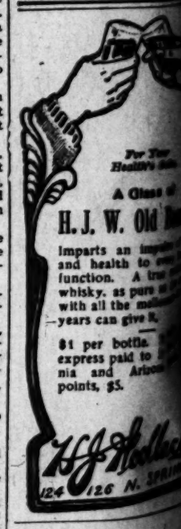

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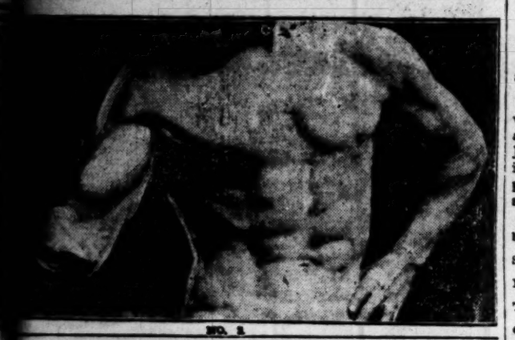
ANY business men at 40 are fat and flabby; their arms are weak, their hands are soft and pulpy; their chalkiness are prominent and ... When they run a block for they puff and blow like disordered gasoline autos. Men get into this condition because they sit still too much, because they eat more than they need, and because they drink. No man gets into this condition because he wants to. It is against the wish of every man to have his body in this kind of shape. He well knows that it lessens his working capacity; that it prevents a great deal of the fun of living, and that it prevents his enjoying himself quite as he did when a young man. He knows that it will probably cut off a few years at the end of his life. The reason he does not come out of this condition is that he thinks it will involve a serious modification of his habits.



NO. 1.

Now, a serious alteration of one's habits. He thinks it will require doing an hour or two of very severe exercise in a gymnasium each day.

Now, I would like to have a firm, strong, clean-cut arms, muscles standing out, body that is solid, held together by firm muscles, strong, vigorous and large chest. A man can have very well the shape of the figure in his body, but aside from this it can be done in a very short time. A month or two of work will tell about that shape of the body that he desires, and that character of body which is one of the marks of manhood.

MENT WITHOUT APPARATUS.

The purpose of this article to

NO. 2.

show how business men may by a few minutes' work each day develop their bodies in the way they desire. That will be discussed in this article does not pretend to be a complete system of physical training. This work does pretend to make a man graceful; it does pretend to make him a long-distance runner, a jumper, or a fencer, but a course of exercise does succeed in almost every case in quickly making a man physically strong and well developed. It does tend to make a man have more respect himself more, to carry his head and better body. It requires no apparatus—it can be done anywhere; it takes but little time, and if it does demand is the effort on the part of the man to do it on the part of the person have, in a single month, the whole appearance of the body from one of weakness and ill health, from a condition of fat to a condition of solidity. It is a great achievement for a man to add an inch girth of his upper arm or to put two inches on his chest in a space length of time. If a man's muscles are fat to begin with and he puts them hard and muscular in the course of a few months he will not expect to increase as much as he will if he is scrawny to begin with, but it will be comparatively to build up.

RESULTS QUICKLY.

Begin with an explanation of how to develop arms. Ordinarily, in developing the arms, one pulls against a weight over a pulley or he pushes, the object being to provide for the muscles to work against good results are secured when he tries to get the biggest development in the most rapid way the muscles will be contracted to the greatest degree of their ability every time. The exercises that are just as good as can make will count more for development of size and strength than a very large number of exercises of a moderate kind. Also hands a great deal, but the forearm does not grow very large. The reason is that the long-continued movements develop the muscles as well as a few exercises of short length. In the gymnasium one goes to the full extent of his strength he cannot tell exactly what weight he can lift, nor does he use weights adapted to

EXERCISE WITHOUT APPARATUS. STRAIN.

The exercise described is to have the muscles pull against each other; that is, to have them work to overcome each other without straining the joints. In the accompanying illustration (No. 1) the model is shown with the muscles that clinch his hand and the muscles that straighten it, and at the same time the muscles that straighten the muscles that bend it. The result is that the hand is held in a half way open, the fingers are straightened, the tendons of the wrist and the forearm is developed. This exercise should be repeated fifteen times in the morning, the same number of times at night, and a man who is physically fit as a man is can walk down the street by day, will increase the size of the forearms than all the rowing, handling of dumbbells, boxing, etc., that a man will do in a year. And more than this, a carefully conducted course of handling tools eight hours a day will not develop so big or so symmetrical a forearm as will the man who follows this method. The long-continued use of the hammer, saw and plane will produce a strong forearm, but it does not build up as large tissues as this intense work that is done through the antagonistic muscles.

CONDITION GOVERNING INCREASE.

You will notice when you do this exercise as hard as possible that the fingers and even the whole forearm will shake with the intensity of the effort. This is the reason for the term vibratory. The position should be held under extreme contraction about three seconds, then the muscles should be allowed to become soft and the hand should be dropped. In about three seconds more the exercise should be repeated. The tendency will be not to work sufficiently hard at first. Every ounce of power that you have must be put into it if you are going to gain more power. It is only by the investment of what you have that you will gain more. Nature gives only what is necessary—if you make a demand upon your muscles for more power than they have, nature will gradually give it to you; but if you do not use what you have to the fullest extent, you will not be given much increase.

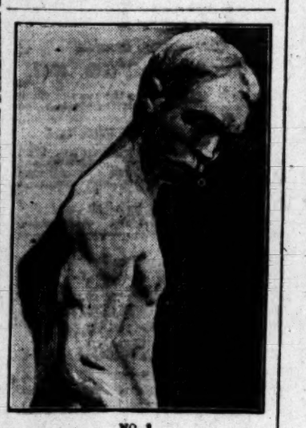
The common way of exercising the forearm is to put something in the palm and grip it—a rubber ball, a piece of wood, or even a wad of paper. The trouble with this exercise is twofold; first, it develops only one set of muscles, the flexors, and the muscles that extend the fingers are left undeveloped; second, as a result of the development of the flexing muscles and the non-development of the extensors the hand when not in use tends to hang with the fingers almost closed into the palm. The strong muscles have overbalanced the weak ones, so that the hand is held nearly shut. By the method that I have proposed flexors and extensors are developed together, and no matter how strong the forearm becomes, the hand and fingers will hang in a normal position.

BEGINNING FIRST EXERCISE.

I have explained this exercise somewhat fully, as it is a type of all the others. All the exercises that are mentioned are exercises in which one group of muscles is pitted against its natural opponent, so that both are exercised to their fullest extent. You will find that to contract these muscles of the forearm as intensely as possible will involve the stiffening of the whole arm, and, indeed, of the upper part of the body; but always put your attention upon the particular part where you wish the chief effect. You will find also that you cannot contract ute. Then with the right hand squeeze the muscles of the left arm from the wrist to the elbow quickly; with the left hand similarly treat the right arm. Then slap the left arm from the wrist to the elbow. Follow this with similar treatment of the right.

UPPER ARM WORK.

Now you are ready for the second exercise, which is to exercise and develop the upper arm. The hand is to be placed in a similar position to that which was taken when the muscles of the forearm were to be exercised. But now the attention is to be fixed upon the biceps, the large muscle which shows on the front of the upper arm. It is to be contracted against the triceps, the muscles on the back of the arm, as hard as is possible. The biceps is well shown in the accompanying figure (No. 2.) This also shows the contraction of the hand occurring at the same time. In the model the biceps is being strained against the muscles on the back of the arm. The same preliminary deep breathing should be taken in this case, and, indeed, in every case. The exercise should be repeated ten times as before. There is little use in doing the exercise unless one is going to put into it all the effort possible.



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In the pictures that are shown the outlines of the hand are a trifle blurred; the reason for this is that in spite of the most rapid exposure that it was possible to make indoors, with a specially-prepared camera, it was impossible not to show the vibration of the hands under the intense effort that was being made by the model. Illustration No. 3 gives the same exercise, but shows the triceps, on the back of the upper arm, as it is pulling against the biceps.

Luther Burbank.

[The conclusion of this artice will appear in next Tuesday's Times.]

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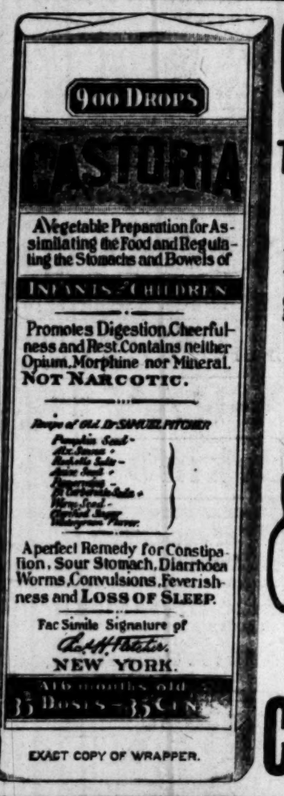

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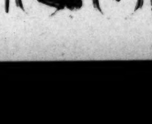
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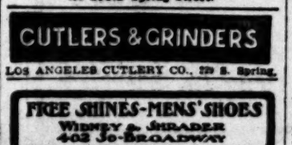

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NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Seashell Show at C.C.

A large and well-arranged display of seashells has been added to the Long Beach exhibit at the Chamber of Commerce. It contains many beautiful specimens of highly-polished shells that have been found in the vicinity of the seaside resort.

Involuntary Bankruptcy.

A petition for involuntary bankruptcy was filed yesterday in the United States District Court against the firm of Hoyle Bros. of Elgin, Merged county. The petitioners are a number of San Francisco firms that hold claims aggregating $500. It is charged that Hoyle Bros. transferred their stock of goods and other personal property with intent to defraud their creditors.

Walls for Olive-street Lot.

At a special meeting of the Board of Education yesterday morning consideration was given to the bids opened Friday last for the building of the retaining walls at the Olive-street school lot. There were six bids with certified checks attached, and the checks were returned to the four highest bidders. The two low bidders are the California Ornamental Brick Company and Robert Beyrle, one of whom, probably, will receive the award of the contract at a later meeting of the board.

Hebrew Fair.

The ladies sewing circle of the Temple Union, of the Jewish congregation B'nai B'rith, will open a fair in the temple, at Ninth and Hope streets, this evening, to continue until Thursday evening. Thursday afternoon will be "Children's Day." There are many handsome booths, filled with fancy articles of every description, many of more than usual excellence. Refreshments of all kinds will be served day and evening. The arrangements are in the hands of Mrs. M. Kramer, president of the union, assisted by Mmes. H. Newmark, M. S. Heilman, H. W. Frank, J. Loew, A. Prenzelaur, J. Baruch.

A Fortunate Drunk.

John Raines was arrested for drunkenness last night on East First street by Patrolman Lennon, more because the man needed protection than with any view to prosecuting him for having imbibed too much. The policeman saw several suspicious characters following Raines from one saloon to another, and after watching them for a time he sent Raines to the Police Station. When searched there it was found that he had more than $5000 on his person. The bulk of his wealth was a certicate of deposit on the Citizens' National Bank, which was in negotiable form and could easily have been cashed had it fallen into the hands of those who were helping Raines spend his money. He was locked up for safe keeping.

Favor the "Ray Bill."

The Los Angeles Credit Men's Association has adopted resolutions, favoring the adoption of the "Ray bill," now before Congress. The bill provides for the amendment of the United States bankruptcy act, with reference to preferred claims. Briefly stated, the point at issue is this: Under the ruling of the United States Supreme Court, all payments made by an insolvent, within four months prior to the adjudication in bankruptcy, must be surrendered to the court, before a claim can be proven against said bankrupt. The Ray bill provides that such payments (made within four months prior to the bankruptcy proceedings) shall be surrendered, only in case those who receive them "shall have cause to believe that such bankrupt is insolvent."

Beautiful Display Card.

Ornate design and skillful execution mark some original advertising matter that has just been issued from the Times-Mirror Printing and Binding House for the Foo and Wing Herb Co. Oriental physicians of this city. A card for display in windows and street cars is printed in various colors, and sets forth in beautiful allegory the art of the medical practitioner of the Far East. The striking feature of the card is a dragon printed in red and blue, while the other decorations include the peacock feather in its iridescent hues, a true depiction of the stalk and blossom of the sacred Chinese lily and the figure of a stork. The border consists of a frame of bamboo printed in natural color, and there is a lifelike representation of a pretty American woman and a Chinese physician in the garb of his profession. A book of 300 pages, entitled: "The Science of Oriental Medicine, Diet and Hygiene," has been put forth by the same publishers. It contains a vast quantity of information for health-seekers, together with the history and principles of the healing art practiced in the Orient.

BREVITIES.

From among the several hundred recipes for making salads sent to The Times, seventy-four were selected for publication, and these appeared in the paper of Thursday, April 10. Voting is now in order, to decide which are entitled to the prizes. Anybody may vote who will take the trouble to fill out one of the coupons published elsewhere in this issue and send it to The Times office before April 16.

The Times wants first-class recipes for making pies—chicken and meat pies included—and will pay $5 for the best one sent in before April 16. The competing recipes will be published in The Times April 17.

Free today. A diamond ring and 10 other valuable presents at the closing-out sale of the New York Jewelry Company's stock at 353 South Spring street. Thomas B. Clark, auctioneer.

Mrs. Ella Shaw Melody speaks at Peniel Hall this week, each night.

Dr. Frank Gordon, residence Hotel Broadway.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Postal Telegraph Cable office, No. 233 South Spring street, for B. F. Masten, L. Kalisky, B. J. Smith, M. Seaton, California Paint Company of Los Angeles.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph office for J. A. Kendall (2,) Charles Collins, C. N. West, A. W. Smith (2,) F. W. Bailey, Mrs. J. S. Duncan, George F. Keith, Mrs. J. B. McCune, H. L. Hodge, Coleman Brown, D. E. Bigelow, Mr. Marwell, W. J. Carlin, R. C. Knoles, E. H. Pratt, M.D.; Ray Lillibright or Lillibridge, S. W. Wheeler, W. N. Nicholson and Charles Nelson or Parly Nelson.

PERSONAL.

Ira A. Metcalf, a New York stock broker, is at the Angelus.

Jerome Jones and wife, tourists from Boston, are at the Van Nuys.

C. E. Bailey and wife, Eveilth, Minn., tourists, are at the Van Nuys Broadway.

C. C. Bennett and George E. Otis, attorneys of Redlands, are at the Van Nuys.

Drs. T. H. Kinnaird and L. H. Multegan of Lexington, Ky., are at the Hollenbeck.

Avery Wilson, a banker of Denver, is among yesterday's arrivals at the Angelus.

J. Marion Brooks, Esq., has returned from San Francisco, after a ten days' business trip.

Richard H. Ashton of Chicago, general superintendent of the Chicago and Northwestern Railway, is at the Hollenbeck.

M. J. Eager of Davenport, Iowa, registered at the Westminster yesterday with Mrs. Eager.

Mrs. Fred Scarff and Miss Scarff of Stratford, Can., are guests of Mrs. George I. Cochran.

Mrs. B. H. York and maid of New York, and Roy F. York, Cleveland, O., arrived at the Van Nuys yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Mitchell and the Misses M. and E. Mitchell, pilgrims from Plymouth, Eng., are at the Westminster.

Miss Marion Lowell of Washington, D. C., the dramatic reader, arrived yesterday and is staying at the Van Nuys Broadway.

Tourists from Boston who are registered at the Westminster include J. Edward Hills and wife, James H. Stark and Miss Evelyn Stark.

A. G. Kerrill, San Francisco, and R. B. Miller and A. Craig, Portland, Or., are members of a party of railroad men who registered yesterday at the Angelus.

George Knarr, the liveryman, will leave this evening via the Santa Fé on a trip to Europe, where he will visit his aged mother, whom he has not seen for twenty years.

United States District Attorney L. H. Valentine has returned from Red Bluff, whither he went last week with his brother, C. O. Valentine, to attend the funeral of another brother, L. W. Valentine, Assessor of Tehama county, who died on the 9th inst., after a lingering illness.

The members of the State Supreme Court who are in Los Angeles on their semi-annual professional visit are staying at the Van Nuys. The party includes Chief Justice Beatty, Justices C. H. Garoutte, F. W. Henshaw, R. C. Harrison, Jackson Temple, T. B. McFarland and Secretary H. C. Finkler. Among other guests at the same hotel are B. Temple of Equality, Iowa, brother of the justice, and Robert W. Harrison of San Francisco, son of the Justice of the same name.

Col. Leopold Moss, a real estate and investment banker of Chicago, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Moss, Temple street. He is accompanied by his daughter and a niece. Col. Moss is a leader in the Democratic party organization in Illinois, and was manager of the press bureau of the National Democratic Committee during the campaign of 1900. He was an intimate friend of the late ex-Gov. Altgeld of Illinois, on whose staff he served as inspector of target practice.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Following are the marriage licenses issued yesterday from the office of the County Clerk:

Burton G. Bloom, aged 31, a native of Pennsylvania, and Gazelle McFarland, aged 26, a native of Missouri; both residents of Pasadena.

Alberto W. Merriam, aged 23, a native of Canada, and Florence A. Germain, aged 20, a native of Canada; both residents of Pomona.

Frank L. Jackson, aged 40, a native of Illinois, and Nettie M. Martin, aged 38, a native of Illinois; both residents of Los Angeles.

William L. Hack, aged 21, a native of California, and Lois R. Hyde, aged 20, a native of South Dakota; both residents of Los Angeles.

Edmund C. Robinson, aged 26, a native of Washington, D. C., and Myrtle E. Deck, aged 22, a native of Kansas; both residents of Pomona.

Charles R. Lewis, aged 30, a native of California, and Edith Green, aged 35, a native of England; both residents of Los Angeles.

DEATH RECORD.

FORD—At No. 235 Avenue Twenty-three, April 14, 1902. James T. Ford, a native of Massachusetts, aged 74 years. Funeral from Congregational Church, North Daly street, Tuesday afternoon, 2 o'clock, April 15. Friends invited to attend. Interment Evergreen Cemetery.

MIXER—At Chicago, Ill., on Sunday, April 13 of apoplexy, Charles L. Mixer, aged 76 years, husband of Violet Trudel Mixer, formerly of this city.

RITSCHARD—In this city, April 14, Genevieve E., beloved daughter of Paul J. and Bessie Ritschard, aged 3 years. Funeral from the residence, No. 218 Winston street, Wednesday, April 16, at 1:30 p.m. Interment New Calvary.

SANBORN—In Whittier, April 13, Peter B. Sanborn, aged 64 years. Funeral at the residence 11 a.m., April 15.

ANDERSON—At his late residence, No. 2020 East Ninth street, Lars E. Anderson, aged 67 years. Funeral from Bresee Brothers' undertaking parlors, Wednesday, April 16, at 10 o'clock. Friends invited. Interment Rosedale.

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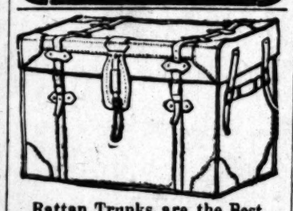

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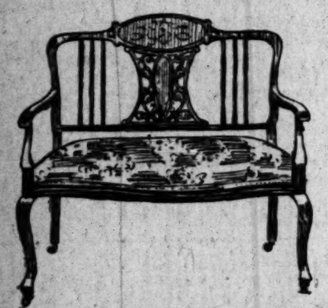

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LEG YANKED OFF BY THIEF.

Los Angeles Man Could Not Give Chase.

Key-nipper Burglar a Versatile Cuss.

Notorious Robber Up to New Tricks—Victim Looks in Pistol Barrel.

Having a leg yanked off while you're dreaming in your bed is the latest sensation the up-to-date Los Angeles burglar can afford you.

The newest robber will not be pursued after doing a job, for he will take his victim's sprintsticks and make an undignified shirt-tail chase under the electric lights impossible.

Louis Lauer, who rooms at No. 229 East Fifth street, is the first man to go through the singular experience. It happened to him early yesterday morning, when the notorious key-nipper thief, who has been operating here some time, got around there.

Lauer is a sound sleeper. Perhaps that is why he found himself with but one leg in his room when he awoke. The robber had taken the other, as well as a pair of trousers, in one of the pockets of which was $1. Incidentally, the leg was in the trousers, too. That is another reason why it was easily pulled. It is of wood. Mr. Burglar has no use for it, nor for the trousers, for both were found in an alley later. The coin looked good to him, and was turned into other channels.

When Lauer missed his clothes and cash his first impulse was to make a run and catch the thief, but he did nothing of the kind. The key-nipper's ideas are too modern to let such things occur.

In the same house where Lauer lives the room occupied by Jesse Turner was entered and a pair of trousers containing $6 stolen. Turner happened to have his legs in bed with him at the time and lost none. From the adjoining room a pair of trousers and $2, the property of a man named Compton, were taken. All the garments were left in the alley with the wooden leg.

HELD UP IN BED.

For the first time since he began his operations many months ago the key-nipper burglar was seen yesterday morning, but not under conditions which made it possible for the police to secure a description of him. About 4 o'clock Julius Schneider of No. 549 Maple avenue was awakened by a noise in his room, and as he arose from his bed he saw a man crawling along the floor. He called and the intruder instantly sprang up and covered Schneider with a gun. He compelled him not only to lie down again, but to pull the bed covers over him.

Then he backed toward the door, warning Schneider that if he followed he would use his weapon. Schneider was unarmed. He was glad to let the burglar escape, and waited a long time before he followed and gave the alarm. The thief had used a key-nippers to open the door, and was creeping toward Schneider's clothing, when he was first seen. The room was so dark that Schneider could not see whether his visitor was a white man or a negro.

IRRIGATION MOVEMENT.

Encouraging Progress Reported at the Meeting of the Executive Committee of Local Section Yesterday.

The National Irrigation Association is enjoying most encouraging growth, as shown by reports made to the Executive Committee of the Southern California section, which met yesterday. In the absence of Chairman C. B. Boothe, M. H. Newmark presided and the other members present were: Homer Laughlin, A. B. Cass, Abbot Kinney, J. H. Braly and Assistant Secretary W. A. Spalding.

In Southern California the secretary announced an increase in membership of fifty since last report. Eastern memberships secured through correspondence from Los Angeles now number 482 and the local roll is 367.

Executive Chairman George H. Maxwell, in a letter, reports the formation of strong organizations in St. Paul, Denver and Omaha. At St. Paul the work of correspondence with eastern firms has been taken up by the Consolidated Committee, representing the four commercial organizations of that city. In Omaha the Commercial Club is prosecuting similar work. The Denver section starts out with 250 members, including the most influential men of the city. Mr. Maxwell predicts that if the correspondence work is kept up for the next year, the association should have a membership of at least 20,000. With such an enrollment the movement would be irresistible.

In the discussion which followed the reading of Mr. Maxwell's letter, the status of the bill now before Congress, amended to suit the ideas of President Roosevelt, came in for consideration. The general opinion was that the bill as it now stands is all right, and meets the unqualified support of the National Irrigation Association. In its amended form, it squares with the recommendations of the President in his late message to Congress, and will safeguard the lands reclaimed by the government irrigation works, and reserve them for actual settlers. The prospects of successful action by the present Congress are now very bright.

The next session of the National Irrigation Congress will be held at Denver, October 6 to 9.

RAILROAD NOTES.

The passenger agents, who will meet as the Transcontinental Passenger Association at Coronado today, will arrive in a special car attached to the regular Santa Fé train this morning. They will go on to San Diego by the next train that way. The members have been in to see the wonders of the Grand Cañon. It is supposed that not a full representation will be at the meeting as no very important matters will come up.

John Sebastian, general passenger agent of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific is here ahead of the crowd. He came by the new Rock Island line to El Paso, and thence by the Southern Pacific. Mr. Sebastian reports the new line to be one of the best built and best equiped on the continent. The nine new trains for California Limited business will be ready for next winter and will be the finest the shops can turn out. Oklahoma, Mr. Sebastion says, is growing rapidly and is a promising new country.

R. H. Alshton, general superintendent of the Chicago and Northwestern, is here to take home his family, who have been here most of the winter.

The general offices of the Huntington trolley lines are being installed in the Earl building, corner of Sixth and Main.

E. O. McCormick, passenger traffic manager of the Southern Pacific, passed through here yesterday with a small army of assistants to attend the passenger association meeting at Coronado.

G. A. Parkyns, assistant general freight passenger agent of the Southern Pacific, and J. J. Byrne, general passenger agent of the Santa Fé, will go to Coronado this morning.

LOCAL SPORTING RECORD.

MOSQUITOES SLATED FOR THE SLAUGHTER.

COMING THURSDAY TO PLAY FIVE GAMES WITH LOOLOOS.

Records of the Nine Make No Great Showing—What Griffin Thinks of Champion Jeffries—Bowling Results in High Scores.

Next Thursday the Skeeters of Sacramento will be here to open a five-game series with the Looloos at Chutes Park, and the fans are already looking up their dope books to learn what chances the Loolooos will have with the coming team.

At first glance the locals have a big lead over the Mosquitoes, and the records obtainable of last year's work will bear this out. On paper there seems to be no reason why the Looloos should not win five out of seven games from the visitors.

Four of the coming team are well known here. Doyle and Sheehan were with Sacramento last year, Eagan with Oakland and Graham with San Francisco. Second Baseman Ungiaubt played last season with the Worcester (Mass.) team; Birmingham with Davenport, and Rebsamen with Rock Island, both in the Three-I League. Wagner was with Columbus, O., and Frary and Hickey with Seattle. Thomas pitched a few games in this league last season, but laid off on account of sickness.

For the benefit of the local cranks the records of the Mosquitoes are herewith given, for games, times at bat, base hits, batting and fielding averages, and the batting average and records of their pitchers:

	Games.	A.B.	B.H.	B.Av.	Fl.Av.
Graham, c	80	326	67	.199	.951
Birmingham, 1b	76	305	78	.255	.9.9
Unglaub, 2b	110	441	107	.242	.894
Sheehan, 2b	152	565	130	.230	.8 2
Eagan, ss	144	435	106	.243	.882
Frary, rf	104	385	124	.319	.9.3
Rebsamen, cf	55	207	75	.229	.9 6
Wagner, lf	107	407	98	.238	.949

PITCHERS' RECORDS.

	Bat. Av.	Games won.	Games lost.	Per ct.
Dowling	.165	12	26	.324
Doyle	.292	20	12	.625
Hickey	.189	9	14	.397
Thomas	.047	3	10	.230

BOUT AT AVALON.

GRIFFIN ON JEFFRIES.

Hank Griffen and Capt. Jorgstorff had a four-round sparring bout at Avalon Sunday for the amusement of their friends. Hank had been warming himself up with his punching bag and he found it hard work to keep from hitting too hard. As it was, he caught the captain in the wind and doubled him up for a minute like a jack-knife. Griffen in a little preliminary talk, referring to his bouts with Jeffries, said he thought there was no man living who could put him out, unless it was Fitzsimmons, and it would be in the nature of an accident if he accomplished it. "Not," said he, "because he is scientific, for there are men who can hit him three to one, but he has that capacity for punishment that a single punch will not put him out." He wound up with a challenge to meet Jack Jeffries, the champion's brother.

BOWLING.

BURKE'S HIGH AVERAGE.

Koller and Burke were easily the bright particular stars in last night's play in the two-man team tournament at the Monarch alleys. They not only won five of the six games they bowled, but Burke added to the glory of the team by making a high roll of 222 and a high average of 118 1-6 for six games. The scores follow:

	1.	2.	3.	Av.
Kirkpatrick	187	160	149	165 1-3
Brown	139	178	147	153 1-3
	326	338	296	
Krudop	177	138	168	159 1-3
Mellus	186	147	148	160 1-3
	363	290	316	
McGee	192	194	158	181 1-3
Tompkins	170	190	190	183
	562	374	367	
Koller	174	160	211	181 2-3
Burke	202	184	192	192 2-3
	376	344	403	
Dysinger	179	178	190	182 1-3
Simpson	215	192	174	193 2-3
	394	370	364	
Krudop	111	135	109	118 1-3
Mellus	157	177	150	161
	268	312	259	
Williams	163	168	150	160 1-3
Pearson	131	126	166	143
	300	294	316	
Koller	157	147	145	149 2-3
Burke	222	150	179	183 2-3
	379	297	324	
Kirkpatrick	144	191	145	160
Brown	148	134	162	148
	292	325	307	
McGee	166	179	136	160 1-3
Tompkins	180	139	172	160 1-3
	346	318	308	

MATCH GAMES.

The Coliseum team and the All-Stars will go to Redlands today to open the new alleys there with a series of games. Consequently there will be no tournament games at the Monarch alleys tonight, with the exception of three bowled between Krudop and Chapman or Mellus and Botilier and Wilson.

PRESIDENT HEAVILY INSURED.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Since he became chief executive of the nation the President has become one of the most heavily insured men in the United States. He has taken out a policy for $50,000 in a New York company, beside continuing policies for smaller amounts which he had taken out long before he was elected Governor of New York.

WILL SUCCEED JOHN A. MUIR.

R. H. Ingram Named by the S. P. Powers.

Superintendent of Los Angeles Division.

Was Brought to the Coast from the Far East by C. M. Hays.

A special to The Times from San Francisco says that R. H. Ingram, who came to San Francisco nearly a year and a half ago, as executive secretary to the new president of the Southern Pacific Company, was yesterday appointed superintendent of the Los Angeles division of the Southern Pacific to succeed John A. Muir. Ingram was originally in the executive department of the Louisville and Nashville Railroad. Thence he went to Canada for five years, was executive secretary there to Charles M. Hays, president of the Grand Trunk. From Canada he went to Vermont to became secretary-treasurer of the Vermont Central Railroad. When Charles M. Hays was chosen by Speyers to be president of the Southern Pacific and resigned the chief place in the Grank Trunk, he selected R. H. Ingram for his executive secretary. When Hays retired Ingram was retained as executive secretary to Julius Kruttschnitt, who was practically made Harriman's representative of the entire company.

Of the men who were brought out here by Hays, Ingram was the only one who impressed railroad men in San Francisco as a broad-gauge man. He knew his business thoroughly, was simple and modest in manner, and made friends from the outset, it is said. Hence, it was no surprise that he was retained when Hays and others were retired.

The rumor of the selection of Ingram for superintendent was whispered in the local Southern Pacific offices yesterday, but nobody had the official announcement. Ingram is hardly known here. He is about 45 years of age, stoutly built, and his hair is white.

A. D. Shepard was once slated as Muir's successor here, and his failure to land is probably due to Harriman's veto. The new superintendent will come to Los Angeles at once.

POISONED OLIVES PROVE TROUBLESOME.

COMPLAINT TO ISSUE TODAY AGAINST HILL & SONS.

Failure of Systematic Attempts to Choke Off Publicity Concerning the Discovery of the Fraud—Inspector Found Plenty of Dyed Olives.

A great stench has been created by a barrel of black pickled olives, recently discovered in a Broadway grocery store, and to which The Times has made extended reference.

Ripe olives, when pickled, soon spoil, but, on the other hand, ripe olives make the best of oil. Thus may be found two reasons why they are not extensively pickled. Pickled ripe olives, being rich in oil and agreeable to the palate, are in good demand, but usually scarce.

In view of this condition, local olive packers regardless of the health of the public and of the reputation of Southern California, conceived the idea of taking green olives, coloring them by means of a decoction containing aniline dyes, and foisting them upon the market as pickled ripe olives.

This offense, which has been laid at the door of the local firm, is described as a misdemeanor by the act of 1895, relating to the adulteration of fruits. It is so fraught with disaster to Southern California, the only olive-growing district on the North American continent, that the interest in the outcome of the case is universal.

Chemist Fosdick on Friday reported to Fruit Inspector Drummond that he found aniline dye in the olives, and the case was immediately placed in the hands of Deputy District Attorney Chambers, with a request to draw up a complaint.

The Hill establishment exhausted every expedient in their efforts to stop publicity, appealing to the inspector, the deputy district attorney and the newspapers, and they made their boast that they had muzzled every paper in town except The Times.

They asked, through their attorneys, that they be given a hearing before the complaint was drawn, and Attorney Chambers granted them this concession. They were given until yesterday, to, if possible, show any palliating circumstances concerning the putting out of the olives that poisoned the family of E. T. Morris, and it is promised Inspector Drummond that the complaint will issue today.

The statement was made by Mr. Cunningham, manager for Hill & Sons, that the barrel of olives discovered by the inspector in the store of Adams & Hellinghausen, was the only one they had out. Mr. Drummond, however, readily proved this statement to be incorrect, for he went to another store, but a few doors distant, and bought the same kind of olives. The statement has been made to a Times reporter that they were, in fact, to be found all over the city.

YOUNG COUNTERFEITER.

LOUISVILLE (Ky.) April 14.—Phillip Hans, a fourteen-year-old boy, in his freshman year at the Manual Training High School, has been arrested by Secret Service Agent Donnelly, on the charge of making counterfeit nickels and quarters. The boy's story is that he found the money, but the secret-service agent declares he has made use of the dies and mold employed in the metal-working department of the school. The counterfeit is crude and the officers believe the boy is alone in his work.

WOMEN'S CLUBS.

Los Angeles Ebell.

The last lecture of Mrs. Lou V. Chapin on current events was attended by an even larger audience than usual, and interest continued undiminished through an extra long session. Current topics discussed under Mrs. Chapin's leadership were the new municipal league and what women may do to aid it; the army reorganization bill; the segregation of vice, and the will of Cecil Rhodes. Mrs. Strickland Clark spoke upon the last subject, eulogizing Rhodes' far-sighted appreciation of the facts that the federation that makes for peace is the federation of education, and that as the nations of the earth come to know each other well, they will understand and like each other better. The consensus of opinion was against the segregation of vice, on the grounds that the measure cannot be made a success, and that, in any case, the licensing of evil by the State has a corrupting influence and is the acceptance by society of an unjust double standard. The question was asked why, if because it is impossible to prevent the so-called social evil, the government should legislate for it and set apart particular streets for its use, it should not also, for similar reasons, license burglaries and other crimes and provide particular quarters for the criminals.

Mrs. Chapin discussed all of the topics at some length and lectured, as usual, on the events of the past month.

The Color Line.

A prominent club woman of Los Angeles recently wrote to W. H. Councill, president of the Agricultural and Mechanical College for Negroes, located at Normal, Ala., to ask his opinion on the subject which is just now threatening to disrupt the General Federation of Women's Clubs. In reply he says that he "believes the interest of all concerned will be best subserved by allowing the local clubs to settle the question of membership, and not bring the matter up at all in State or national meetings;" that he does not believe negro women in general desire to join white clubs; that he is sure they would not desire to retard in anywise the progress of white women, and that, if they should force themselves into the white clubs, their isolation at the meetings would be most painful to them.

"In any work," he writes, "it is wise to consider the greatest good to the greatest number. A large class of white women of the country will resist union with the negro women even to the extent of secession from your federation. The best good of the negro women depends upon the proper education and the development of a true spirit of humanity among all white women in this country. If this large class of white women are driven beyond the reach of the club, and thereby embittered against the negro women, no good can be accomplished, but strife will be engendered and the races pushed farther and farther apart.

"If this large class of white women themselves shall in the process of time fellowship negro women, all strife would cease and the cause would be advanced. But no power on earth can force this large class of white women to accept negro women in their unions. It must be done by voluntary action on the part of these white women, and as I have just intimated, any effort to force it produces harm. In my opinion, whether such union ever takes place or not, the negro women will pursue the even tenor of their way unto righteousness and their white sisters will do likewise."

Child Study.

The Castelar-street school child study circle met yesterday. The programme opened with a piano solo by Miss Gregory. Mr. Leonard and Miss Lamson each sang and responded to encores. Superintendent Foshay spoke on "The Child as a Motor Being." Mr. Skilling concluded the exercises with a paper on "Patriotism."

MILITARY "SQUARE."

Capt. Schmeiser and His Company Have an Understanding—Veterans to Have a Reunion Next Month.

Capt. Fred Schmeiser of the National Guard went through the strenuous process of "squaring" himself with his company last night. The squaring ceremonial took place at a meeting of Co. F at the Armory in this city.

Some members of the company having become dissatisfied with Schmeiser's administration wished to ask for his resignation. Taking time by the forelock, Schmeiser herded the company into a business meeting and demanded that they "say it to his face."

A demand like this is not conducive to eloquence on the part of incipient revolutionists, but several of them responded tartly, and there were "doings."

After the charges had been thrashed over and argued back and forth, a motion was finally made to pass a vote of confidence in the Schmeiser administration. This was done and the meeting broke up with cheers for everybody in sight.

The principal cause of the discontent in the company is that the captain is charged with neglecting his duty. Mr. Schmeiser in his less heroic moments toots a horn of some sort in a beer hall and his attention is thus taken from company drills sometimes.

The real cause of the trouble is that the whole of the local National Guard is eaten through with factions working at cross purposes.

Capt. Schmeiser has been in command of his company for a year or so and one of his bitterest opponents is said to be one of the men who worked hardest for his election. Schmeiser has had many years of experience in eastern National Guards, and is considered to be an efficient tactician.

Meanwhile the expenditure of public money goes merrily on.

Krags have been issued to the troop and Signal Corps in place of the old Springfield carbines, with which the troop was armed. The Signal Corps has had no carbines up to this time.

Preparations are being made for a reunion of the Seventh Regiment, U. S.V., on May 29, and for a dance by the same veteran organization on May 2.

Edward J. Mack, one of the two men who used to be in Co. A, has just returned from a three years' service in the Philippines. He was in the Twenty-third Infantry and was most of the time stationed in Sulu.

GOBBLED BY THE STANDARD.

WHEELING (W. Va.) April 14.—By the purchase of the properties of the two large independent oil-producing firms in Marshal county, the Standard Oil Company blocks out the only independent and rival pipe-line concern in the State. The Standard pays $750,000, it is said, to the Denedum Companies, which give up fourteen wells and several hundred acres

MILK WAR IS BREAKING OUT.

Union Scale Seriously Threatened.

Independent Concern is Cutting Price.

Union Seeking to Drive the New Milkmen Out of the City.

Milksellers of Los Angeles, who formed the Dairymen's Union about two months and a half ago, and contrived thereby to materially increase the price of the lacteal fluid to consumers, are alarmed over the encroachments of an independent concern known as the Standard Milk Company, which has been playing havoc with some of the union's high-priced business. Members of the union regard their enterprising competitor as one that must be downed at all hazards, and the outcome has been a declaration of war.

Since the formation of the Dairymen's Union the price of milk has been $2.50 a month for a quart. Some union men have cut this price 25 cents on the quart, but only to favored customers. Otherwise the schedule of prices has ruled.

The Standard Milk Company charges $1 a month for a pint; $1.75 for a quart, and the same rate for larger amounts.

This concern, which is owned and operated by George Fry and H. S. Graul, two young men who have had considerable experience in the dairy business, was started about six weeks ago, and has grown so rapidly since that time that the owners will establish a milk depot in the city in the near future.

Mr. Fry gave some figures yesterday which showed how he could sell milk at a price over 50 per cent. below the union scale and still make a good profit. He and his partner do not own any stock themselves, but buy their milk from country dairies. They pay 37½ cents for a can of twelve quarts, or 3 1-8 cents a quart. It therefore costs them to furnish a customer with a quart of milk for thirty days, 93¾ cents, and they reap a gross margin of $1¼ cents, or about 86 per cent. on their investment.

The union buys milk at the same figure, or less, and sells it at $2.75 a quart, making on the transaction $1.56¼, or a gross profit nearly twice as great as the investment. In view of the great abundance of green feed at this time the union price has been considered exorbitant by those whose expenditures are a matter of moment.

A member of the Dairymen's Union stated very frankly yesterday that if "cheap concerns," as he called them, were allowed to gain a foothold in Los Angeles, the union would have to "bust up," and the only preventive that he could see would be for the union to fight. Some of the milkmen who have been especially injured by the inroads of the Standard Milk Company, have tried to discredit its methods and gain back their customers by going from house to house, making representations as to the quality of their rival's milk, and the nature of its business venture, but so far without winning back any material proportion of their old customers.

Fry & Graul say they are in the business to stay; that their milk has always passed the milk inspector; and that, if the union wants a fight, they will not be the first to withdraw.

SMYTHE ON WATER.

President of California Constructive League Discusses Irrigation and Organizes a Branch Club.

William E. Smythe, president of the California Constructive League, spoke to an audience of 300 at the Chamber of Commerce last evening on "Greater California and the Surplus Man." The meeting was under the auspices of the Economic League, Charles Cassat Davis presiding. At its close a branch to be called the "Los Angeles Constructive Club" was organized and the following officers elected: President, Walter J. Thompson; vice-president, T. M. Stewart; secretary, J. C. Perry.

Mr. Smythe's keynote was coöperation, but he declared himself an evolutionary rather than a revolutionary Socialist.

"The 'constructive' movement is political," said he, "though distinctly non-partisan. We aim to develop public sentiment, which will lead one or both of the great parties to take up these questions and deal with them effectively. We favor public works of irrigation and heartily support the national irrigation movement, but our policy demands State action to reclaim vast areas of lands in private ownership which lie beyond the reach of the national plan, as now proposed.

"The inauguration of such a policy by the State was provided for in Senate Bill, No. 7, which passed the last Legislature, but was vetoed by the Governor in the interest of economy. That was a terrible mistake. It was a cruel affront to every tiller of the soil of California. By vetoing the bill the Governor saved the $100,000 State appropriation, but threw away $100,000 which would have come from the Federal government, and robbed the people of millions. The flood waters are easily worth $10,000,000 to the State annually. But we shall begin all over again, and although there is a loss of two years' time, we expect to secure an appropriation from the next Legislature."

In closing, Mr. Smythe stated that the Constructive League favors compulsory arbitration of all disputes between labor and capital, but that it had been deemed wise to keep the issue in the background for the present.

STEAMSHIP WRECKED.

NEW YORK, April 14.—The steamship Cheribon, with 24,000 bags of coffee on board, bound for Panama, was wrecked Sunday off Point Remedios, five miles south of Acajutla, says a Herald dispatch from Guatemala City, Guatemala. The passengers and crew were saved, but the ship and cargo are a total loss. The Cheribon was sailing under the Chilean flag. It was at Point Remedios that the Panama mail steamship Pablas was wrecked several months ago

MINES AND MINING.

SOUTH BISBEE STOCKHOLDERS WILL FIGHT.

FUND RAISED TO CONTEST THE TRANSFER OF PROPERTY.

Possibilities of Trade With Mexico—Free Gold Receivership Hearing Continued—Activity in the Panamints—Fine Ore in Altar District.

Affairs of the South Bisbee Copper Company of this city are waxing warm, and about the reported sale of the company's valuable Bisbee, Ariz., property there are many rumors afloat.

For some time reports have been spread that the Calumet and Hecla people were the real purchasers and that syndicate had agreed to pay $1,300,000 for the holdings.

According to private advices from Bisbee, already $10,000 of the purchase price has been paid and is now on deposit in a Los Angeles bank, and the terms practically agreed upon provide that half a million must be paid when the property is turned over, and the balance in two years. They also require that $5000 shall be expended each month in development until the property has been paid for.

The dissatisfaction among the Arizona stockholders is gaining ground, and it is understood that $3500 has been raised to fight the sale.

Who the prospective purchasers are will not be announced until the next stockholders' meeting, which will be held at Phoenix on the 22nd inst. At this time the stockholders will be asked to ratify the sale agreed upon by the officers and directors of the company.

BIG MARKET IN MEXICO.

"Los Angeles merchants apparently fail to appreciate that right at their door they have a market with enormous possibilities," said G. A. Bethune, who has just returned after four years spent in the various mining camps of Northern Mexico. "Mexico offers many inducements for Americans, but none are greater than the possibilities of a large trade with this city. American goods are popular among the natives and bring high prices, but there is not enough to supply half the demand.

"In mining lines there is now a greater activity than ever before, many large gold, silver and copper properties having been acquired during the past few months by American and English capitalists. Much foreign cash is going in to open up the mineral resources of the country, especially in the northern end, and there is no reason why Los Angeles should not be the supply center."

Mr. Bethune, who is ex-State Assayer of Washington, has faith in his convictions, and with W. Truax, late assistant assayer of the Copper Queen of Bisbee, has opened an assay office in this city, and announces his intention of organizing a school of mines.

FREE GOLD RECEIVERSHIP.

The hearing in the case of the Free Gold Mining Company against James Spiers et al., on trial in San Diego, has been continued until May 14. Isaac Trumbo of San Francisco had been cited to appear and explain certain matters in connection with his final report as receiver of the Golden Crest mines. At the request of his attorney asking that the case be continued, Judge Torrance of the Superior Court granted the postponement.

Several other creditors have field claims against Trumbo's receivership, local business men being among them. The San Pedro Lumber Company has filed for $1336. The new claims aggregated $11,948, which added to those already filed makes a total of $43,190. Dunning and Craig of Los Angeles appeared in behalf of some of the Los Angeles creditors, who number about thirty-five. There are some thirty-six creditors in San Francisco.

It is said that Trumbo is trying to have the matter settled out of court.

ACTIVITY IN PANAMINTS.

Unprecedented activity has been on in the Panamint Mountains mining district, Inyo county, since the beginning of the winter, and the camp made famous in the days of silver promises to become equally noted as a producer of gold. Ballarat, the supply center of the district, and the headquarters for all prospectors, is full to overflowing and every stage coming in from Randsburg is crowded.

The Radcliffe, Mineral Ranch and Jack Pot are running full blast with a force of 150 men; the Anvil Springs property in the South Park district is being extensively developed with good results and the Tuba mine will be reopened before the summer.

Four new mills have been put up since October and within five months a complete smelting plant with stamps, concentrator and smelter will be erected at Anvil Springs.

F. H. Vanhrenkamps, formerly superintendent of Capt. Del Mar's famous Gold Hill mine, has just returned from an inspection of his Anvil Springs property. He has also been expering several other mines for an eastern syndicate.

UP FROM THE ALTAR.

E. F. Pourade of Riverside returned from his mines in the Altar district, Mexico, where he has been for the last two months on a tour of inspection. A large number of samples of valuable ore from some of the mines were brought with him. Assays show a large per cent. of copper and considerable gold and silver. An order for a carload of the ore has already been placed in Los Angeles. The ore has been taken out, but owing to lack of facilities it has been impossible so far to get teams to haul it from the mines to the depot, a distance of about ten miles.

MINING DIFFICULTIES.

As illustrating the difficulties that have at times to be overcome in order to be able to work the ores of a mining district profitably, Mines and Minerals prints an article in its April number on the gold fields of Western Australia, written by Prof. Arthur Howell, describing Kalgoorlie camp, which has grown in a few years to a town of considerable size and importance. In his article Prof. Howell describes the difficulties the camp has labored under from an insufficient water supply, and that the inhabitants are, even now, largely dependent upon the rainfall for fresh water. Every building, whether a private dwelling or public office is equipped with one or more tanks varying in capacity from 100 gallons to 1200 gallons. The houses are roofed with corrugated iron, and the water during a shower or rain is conducted thence along catchments and into the tanks. As a result water sells as high as eight shillings (about $2) per 100 gallons. The larger mines obtain their supply of water by sinking shafts and pumping up the water which lodges at the drainage level of the country. The water thus obtained is excessively salty and has to be condensed before it can be made fit for consumption or for use in steam boilers. The smaller mines buy from the larger ones, the price at the mouth of the shaft being two shillings and six pence per 1000 gallons. Condensed water has fetched in Kalgoorlie as high as fourteen shillings per hundred gallons. As a consequence of all this the low-grade ores cannot be profitably worked and the gold output of the camp is much less than it would be if water in sufficiency could be had.

To overcome this serious difficulty a project known as the Coolgardie water supply scheme has been undertaken by the government and is now, Prof. Howell states, well advanced toward completion. It is claimed for this work that it will be made the means of delivering to the gold fields of Kalgoorlie, Coolgardie and adjacent districts, 5,000,000 gallons of fresh water a day, the water to be pumped from a storage reservoir on the Helena River, 325 miles distant from Coolgardie. Three hundred and twenty-five miles; that would be about the same as to bring water from the Sacramento River to work the ores of the Rand district in Southern California.

NEW MEXICO.

The shutting down of the American Smelting and Refining Company of its smelter at Silver City has caused quite a commotion in that town. The Mayor has issued a call for a public meeting to consider the advisability of the construction of an independent smelter. Public opinion, as expressed in the newspapers of Silver City, is strongly in favor of such action.

The custom mill of the Lena Milling Company, at Lordsburg, was blown in last week. The mill is 150 tons daily capacity.

The American Mining Company of Williamsport, Pa., has purchased a number of mining properties in the Shakespeare district and capitalized them for $1,200,000.

The Pacific Union Mining and Smelting Company contemplates remodeling its plant at Lordsburg and machinery will be installed to treat ores from the Shakespeare mine.

MORE "THUNDERING" NEWS.

There is such a thing as too much richness. Some of the persons interested in mining properties in the Thunder Mountain district, Idaho, are working themselves and their properties to a finish. Take this as a sample: "The man who finds the crater in Thunder Mountain will make King Solomon's mines a back number," said Walter B. Moore in an interview published in the Boise Statesman. "That gold was brought out in an eruption of mud," continued Mr. Moore, "and the mud ran in streams toward the west. It contained the gold that created the placers, and was followed by an eruption of lava. The lava flow could not have been so many years ago, for the trees growing on it have not attained a great height. The lava did not come from the same opening as the volcanic mud, but from a chimney some distance away. The lava flowed to the northeast, and some of it covered the previous eruptions of mud. How do I know this? Well, I panned pieces of charcoal that went $35 to the pan. This charcoal was an original tree that had been covered by the boiling mud. The particles of gold penetrated the wood during the transformation." After having read this the question in mathematical form, naturally arises: If the charcoal of the district goes $35 gold to the pan, how much, in thunder, will the pay dirt of the district go to the pan?

PLOMOSA MINING DISTRICT.

The Yuma (Ariz.) Sun contains an account of operatives in the Plomosa mining district in Yuma county, Ariz., concerning which but little is known. The following paragraphs are from the Sun's report:

That portion of Plomosa mining district from Middlecamp south to and including Cunningham Pass, is showing great activity.

King and Apadora are working their claims; one claim has a 115-foot shaft and has been cross-cut forty feet. They are sinking fifty feet on an adjoining claim.

One mile south of Middlecamp are the Bee Hive and Mohave properties. The Bee Hive has been patented. These properties cover the Choyas and Rincon placers where a number of dry washers are making wages in spite of the fact that they have to use powder to break the ground.

The Lotta. A group of claims is showing up some very rich ore. There are four full claims in the group, which are owned by C. D. Chamberlain of Quartzsite; Note Allison and F. H. Gorham of Jerome. Mr. Chamberlain has been drilling away steadily since last September; a week ago he struck an exceedingly rich pocket of ore on the Syndicate No. 2. The ore requires no sorting and nearly every piece shows free gold. Mr. Chamberlain owns three adjoining claims individually; with his partners he holds another excellent prospect in Cunningham Pass on the same ledge as the Copper Bottom group, owned by Butler and Moore. There is a deal on for the purchase of this group which has a great deal of work done. Considerable ore has been shipped, one shipment of 2400 pounds returning $158.50. There are five claims in this group.

NEVADA.

The Virginia City Enterprise states that the new camp at Ray, twelve miles from Tonopah, has already flattened out and inside of a month there will not be a dozen people there. A ledge was struck there that at first gave promise, and the owners began leasing 100-foot claims as has been the case at Tonopah, but none of them have shown anything worth while, and the few men still at work there declare their intention of quitting.

The Tonopah Bonanza says: "Miners hunting for employment should keep away from Tonopah for a short time. The mines are here and havxe not lost their values, but it will take time to open them up. They are growing richer each day. The companies intend to hire only first-class miners, and the Bonanza will advise when there is need for them."

HEAVY DEAL.

The Black Hills Mining Review of Deadwood, S. D., noting the arrival in that city of A. C. Burrage of Redlands, Cal., says: "He is a brother of W. M. Burrage, of Boston, the Standard Oil magnate, who is about to spend several hundred thousand dollars for mining property at Ragged Top, in the Black Hills. This is the deal that takes in the Spearfish Gold Mining and Reduction Company and the Deadwood-Standard Gold Mining Company, the former with a 300-ton cyanide and the latter with a mill of 200-tons capacity, as well as the Potsdam and other neighboring ground. The deal is said to involve something like a $2,000,000 consideration, and is being promoted by W. D. Parker."

IN ARIZONA.

The Prescott Journal-Miner says: "There is talk already of enlarging the capacity of the Standard Smelting Company's concentrating plant at Val Verde, by the addition of ten stamps, and another engine to run them with. Five more Wilfley concentrators will also be added."

Mineral Wealth of Kingman states that a representative of the 300-ton smelter at Cerrillos, New Mexico, has been in camp this week interviewing ore sellers. He has succeeded in getting a $6 rate from Chloride to his smelter and their rates of smelting are much lower than other smelters.

The Tucson Citizen states that Mark Lully of Nogales has located a large body of gypsum about twenty miles west of Tucson. A sample of it was sent to a San Francisco chemist who pronounces it of a superior quality.

MINING NOTES.

The gold production of Cripple Creek, Col., for March, 1902, is reported at $2,074,100.

A standard gauge road is going to be built from the Bagdad mines at Ludlow, San Bernardino county, Cal., to connect with the Santa Fe, so that ore loaded on cars at the mines can be delivered at Barstow mill without change.

The Colorado Springs Mining Record says: "The Vindicator has made one of the richest strikes in the history of Cripple Creek. A four-inch streak of fabulous ore has been opened in an upraise from the ninth level that is yielding ore running from 50 to 600 ounces to the ton."

Utah mine dividends for the first quarter of the year 1902, totaled $1,163,500.

The cost of milling at the Treadwell, in Alaska, is about 35 cents a ton.

In the Witwatersrand in South Africa explorations with the diamond drill have resulted in proving up ore to the depth of 4842 feet.

SAN FRANCISCO MINING STOCKS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P. M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 14.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

Alpha Con	3	Justice	8
Andes	4	Mexican	49
Belcher	9	Occidental Con	9
Best & Belcher	23	Ophir	130
Bullion	3	Overman	20
Caledonia	56	Potosi	22
Challenge Con	16	Savage	13
Chollar	11	Sierra Nevada	73
Confidence	60	Silver Hill	49
Con. Cal. & Va.	190	Union Con	22
Crown Point	7	Utah Con	3
Gould & Curry	7	Yellow Jacket	11
Hale & Norcross	21		

EVENTS IN SOCIETY.

The marriage of Miss Gertrude Elizabeth Redman and Stephen Vincent Childs will take place today at St. Vibiana's Cathedral, the service being conducted by the vicar-general, Rev. Father Harnett. Both parties are well known in Los Angeles. The bride, who is a young woman of charming personality, is the daughter of the late Judge and Mrs. R. A. Redman. Judge Redman, who with his family came from Kentucky to San Francisco in '49, was a judge in the Superior Court at San Francisco, and one of the first Senators from California. J. W. Redman, the grandfather of the bride, was also among the pioneers, and occupied a seat on the bench in Santa Clara county. The groom is the son of the late Oxro W. Childs, who was one of the earliest settlers in Los Angeles, and whose home on South Main street has been a landmark for nearly half a century. The marriage will be private, owing to the recent death of Judge Redman, and will be witnessed only by members of the two families. Miss Hortense Childs, a sister of the groom, will attend as bridesmaid, and Ethelbert Dowden of England will act as best man. The bride, who is to be given away by her brother, Alpheus Redman, will wear an exquisite imported lace gown, veiled with chiffon, made over cream silk, cut en traine. The lace is caught here and there with lilies of the valley, and the bride will carry a shower bouquet of the same delicate flowers and maidenhair ferns. Over this will be worn a filmy veil of silk illusion, that will fall to the foot of the train, and will be fastened with a coronet of lilies of the valley. Miss Childs will wear a dainty tan-cloth gown, trimmed with Irish point lace. The young people have hosts of friends, and the bride has been the recipient of many costly and beautiful gifts. About 300 announcements will be issued. The newly-married pair will leave at once for Del Monte. They will be away two months, and a part of the time may be spent in a trip to British Columbia. On their return they will build on West Adams street.

Luncheon Party.

Mrs. J. R. Newberry entertained Saturday afternoon with a luncheon party at Garvanza Villa, complimentary to ladies who are guests of the Westminster Hotel. The table decorations were especially unique and dainty, consisting of rustic baskets filled with gorgeous California poppies and ferns. Little gold shoes, filled with dainty wild flowers and corsage bouquets of Brodiaa were at each place. The place cards were decorated with quaint Chinese figures. After luncheon the guests repaired to the music room, which had been elaborately decorated with smilax, ferns and white roses, and indulged in a guessing game. There were about twenty present.

For the Brides Elect.

Mrs. Clinton N. Sterry and her daughter, Miss Sterry, entertained with an elegantly-appointed breakfast yesterday morning at their home on Wilshire boulevard, in honor of Miss Helen Daggett of Pasadena and Miss Bonsall of this city, the two brides-elect who have been the recipients of so much pleasant hospitality recently. The large entrance hall in the Sterry residence was decorated with stands of stately calias. The brilliant coloring of nasturtiums and California poppies brightened the library, and Gold of Ophir roses and pink sweet peas did their sweet best to add to the attractions of the parlor. The dining-room was in bridal white. At the brides' table, a round mirror, representing a miniature lake, with banks of white sweet peas, snowballs and sprays of maidenhair fern, occupied the center of the table. A bow and arrow of white sweet peas and maidenhair fern was tied together with a lover's knot of white and hung suspended from the chandelier by broad white satin ribbon. The electric lights on the chandeliers above glowed from the white shades that surrounded them in vain effort to simulate the golden hearts of the Cherokee roses that climbed on the walls. On buffet and serving tables great bowls of white carnations and snowballs were placed, the candles on the buffet being ornamented with green and white shades. The three tables that were placed for the other guests were each decorated with a central wreath of white sweet peas and maidenhair ferns, tied with a knot of white satin ribbon, and sprays of the same pretty greenery were scattered over the snowy damask cloth. The place cards were white diamond-shaped cards, with gold edges, bearing the name in gold lettering. To one corner was attached by a narrow, white ribbon a bow and gold-tipped arrow. From the other hung a knot of orange blossoms. At the ladies' table were seated Miss Sterry, Miss Bonsall, Miss Daggett, Mrs. Ford Harvey of Kansas City, a future sister-in-law of Miss Daggett; Miss Bessie Bonsall; Miss Ruth Daggett and Miss Louise McFarland. Other guests for whom covers were laid were Mrs. William H. Bonsall, Mrs. Daggett, Mrs. Jennie Janch, Miss Robinson, Miss Florence Field, Miss Ella Clark, Miss Louise McFarland, Miss Lou Winder, Miss Elizabeth Alexander, Miss Susie Howard, Miss Grace Mellus, Miss Jane Campbell, Miss Adelaid Brown, Miss Maud Daggett, Miss Martha Behr, Miss Sybel Harvey of Leavenworth, Kan., Miss Leila Christopher of Kansas City, and Miss Emily Stanton.**

Sixth Social.

The sixth of the series of socials for the benefit of the First Presbyterian Church was given at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stephens, No. 626 East Adams street, Friday evening. Mrs. Stephens was assisted by Mrs. L. M. Powers and Mrs. Prentiss. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Raymond, Miss Amelia Brown and Miss Bingham. A short musical programme was rendered, consisting of piano solo, Mr. Scott; violin solo, Miss Louie Ward, and vocal selections by Mrs. Marie Clark, Miss Anna Powers and J. H. Stephens.

Cards, Music and Dancing.

Mrs. M. E. Peters entertained a few of her friends Wednesday evening at the home of J. B. Brandes, No. 1521 Orange street. She was assisted in receiving by her daughter, Mrs. Kingsley N. Stevens of Pasadena and Miss Lyla Brandes. The evening was spent with cards, music and dancing. Refreshments were served. Those present were: Dr. and Mrs. T. K. Sawyer, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Griffith, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. K. N. Stevens; Misses Leta Ryan, Birdie Owens, Celia Tymon and Cora Eberle; Messrs. B. L. Bourland, L. F. Wright, C. Wright and Dr. E. H. Garrett.

A Pleasant Affair.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Murphy and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. O'Neil entertained the members of the Central Beach Assembly of Ocean Park Thursday evening, at the Country Club House. There were about forty members present, together with their guests. It was a shamrock party and all decorations were in shamrock green, and the lights were subdued with the same rich color. Eleven tables were filled at progressive whist, and hearts were trumps. The score cards were green shamrock leaves, and prizes were awarded at the close of the game to Mrs. L. M. Hunter, who proved to be the champion player of the evening among the ladies, and Capt. E. S. Rogers, who had the largest score among the gentlemen. The lady's prize consisted of a pretty Ocean Park souvenir teaspoon. The gentleman's prizes was a handsome burnt-leather card case, with a fine deck of playing cards inclosed. The guest's prize, a beautiful card case with shamrock-leaf design, was won by Miss MacKenzie, and the two consolation prizes of appropriate character were carried away by C. H. Ritchie and Miss Ethel Fraser. At 10:30 light refreshments were served and the remainder of the evening was devoted to music, dancing and billiards. The following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. R. C. W. Powell, Leadville, Colo.; Mrs. P. Harvey and Paul McCormack of Los Angeles, and J. C. Muehe of Portland, Or.

Cobweb Social.

The B. O. L.'s, a class organization in the First Methodist Episcopal Sunday-school, held their regular social gathering at the home of W. H. Herman, No. 816 West Second street, Saturday afternoon. The time was spent as at a cobweb social, and was thoroughly enjoyed. Those present were: Misses Irene Gardner, Kate Isaacs, Ethel Coleman, Nora Skinner, Charlotte Weir, Grace Buck, Alice Yerrington, Etta Armstrong, Buryl Burch, Anna Johnson, Lena Erwin, Idell Behn, Laura Roberts, Lillie Page; Mrs. K. McEwan, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Herman.

At Hearts.

Miss Suzanne Johnson and the Misses Mitchell delightfully entertained about fifty of their friends Wednesday evening at the residence of M. D. Johnson, No. 1234 North Griffin avenue. Hearts were played. The lady's first prize, a silver pin-tray, was won by Miss Lotta Platt, and an inlaid paper knife was captured by Mr. Hickey. After the game dainty refreshments were served. The Misses Mitchell and Miss Johnson will be at home to their friends the last two Tuesday evenings of this month at No. 236 North Griffin avenue.

Ridgway-Belott.

Miss May T. Belott and Arthur R. Ridgway were united in marriage April 12 at the bride's grandparents, on North Broadway. The bride was dressed in pink silk, trimmed with white lace, and carried a bouquet of white carnations and ferns. The room was decorated with carnations and calla lilies. The bridegroom is the oldest son of G. Ridgway, paperhanger and decorator of No. 109 Temple street. Mrs. Belott, the bride's mother, came from San Francisco to give her daughter away. The ceremony was witnessed by many relatives and friends.

Strangers Entertained.

Chapter D. of P.E.O. entertained Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. W. Carver, Marmion way, in compliment to P.E.O. members visiting in the city and to Chapter C of University. The decorations were carried out with marguerites, the society flower. The game of progressive stocks was played. The prize was won by Mr. Esterbrook. There were many present.

Order of Pendo.

Ladies of the Star Aid Society of the Order of Pendo gave an enjoyable social Tuesday evening at the residence of Mrs. A. Syvertsen, No. 523 West Sixth street. Games were played, at which Mrs. J. H. Heidt won the first prize, Miss Florence Heavenstone winning the booby prize. An enjoyable programme was given by Mrs. Gertrude Long. Misses Florence Heavenstone, Nellie Sessler, Maud Fiester, Millie H. Olds, Florence Nelson, M. M. Myers, Charles Isbell, Nelson, Frank Wiese gave several graphaphone selections.

Club Meeting.

Mrs. C. C. Rutherford entertained the Aliades Club delightfully at her home, No. 810 Whittier street. High five was the game for the afternoon. Miss Louise Hahn won the first prize, and Mrs. R. R. Hutchison, the second. The club entertained Mmes. Young, Nance, Hoffman and Brownfield as guests for the afternoon. Mmes. Young, Defani and the Misses Hahn and Walker.

Notes and Personals.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Merrill have removed from Hotel Rosslyn to Hotel Van Nuys Broadway. Mrs. Merrill will be at home Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Lee Hagadorn entertained a large number of friends at a house warming in their new home on Bush street, near Washington, Thursday evening.

Gentlemen who will act as ushers at the Harvey-Daggett wedding entertained in honor of Miss Daggett and her attendants at the Pasadena Country Club last evening.

Among the physicians who will attend the medical meeting now in session at San Francisco are Dr. H. G. Brainard, Dr. W. W. Beckett, Dr. W. L. Lindley and Dr. G. L. Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Martin announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Lalla Rookh Martin, to Claudius C. Hickey. The wedding took place April 11. Mr. and Mrs. Hickey will reside in Santa Barbara.

Star Hive, No. 16, Ladies of the Maccabees, initiated a class of eleven Tuesday evening, April 8, at Paulk's Hall, West Washington street. Many visitors were present, among whom was Mrs. Hattie E. Walker, Sup. Sentinel and State Deputy.

Miss Katharine Winans of No. 200 West Avenue 46 has returned from an extended trip through Mexico, Cuba and the Eastern States. Miss Winans made a stay of several months at Boston, where she attended the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, taking a special course in milk analysis and modification.

Mrs. R. F. del Valle, who has been the guest of friends in Dakota for several months, has returned to this city.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Milne were surprised Thursday evenig in honor of their golden wedding anniversary. Two handsome gold chairs were presented to the aged people.

BASKET SHARE

Advance APRIL 19th or Earl

THE mid-week announcement that shares of the Merganthaler-Horton Basket Machine Company would be advanced in price on or before April 24 resulted in so many new subscriptions that the closing of the 50 cent allotment has been brought five days nearer.

This present announcement, therefore, is that on or before Saturday, April 19th, instead of Thursday, April 24th, the price of shares in the Merganthaler-Horton Basket Machine Company advances from 50 cents a share to 60 cents a share (par value $1.00, full paid and non-assessble.)

Present Selling Price
50 cents a Share

The closing day for this allotment has now been moved back twice, once from May 1st to April 24th, and now from April 24th to April 19th.

There are thousands ready to buy these shares: It is therefore necessary, in order to protect the interests of early shareholders that the Directors reserve the right to reject any subscription, otherwise any day might see the allotment for over-subscribed.

It is but fair to state that those who have followed the course of the offering of these shares from the first allotment down to the present, should be prepared now to take action and subscribe, as the price will go steadily higher.

The above statements are made by authority of the Directors.

Checks, drafts; or money orders for subscriptions should be drawn to order of CHARLES R. BARLOW, Treasurer.

The Merganthaler-Horton Basket Machine C

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BIG WATER PROBLEM NEAR SAN DIEGO.

NATIONAL CITY MAY ANNEX AN IMMENSE TERRITORY.

Election Results from Coronado and Other Places—Valuable Violin Collection Sold—Club Women for Mrs. Burdette—Passenger Men Gathering.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SAN DIEGO, April 14.—The National City and Chula Vista orchardists are wondering where their water supply is coming from. The Sweetwater reservoir is empty, although it is claimed that enough water has gone to waste above to have more than filled it twice. The Land and Town Company is charged with criminal negligence in not piping it down to the dam, and the Chula Vistans have organized themselves into a coöperative association to see what can be done. The orchardists propose to buy the complete irrigation system and run it economically. To do this it would probably be necessary for National City to annex all the land tributary to the Sweetwater system, which would give her an immense territory. The incorporated city would then purchase the irrigation system and operate it for the good of the whole people. A fifth-class charter would be secured.

FOUR TOWN ELECTIONS.

The city elections for the towns of Coronado, National City, Oceanside and Escondido today resulted as follows: At Coronado a full vote of 169 was cast. There was a sharp contest between W. T. Clark and J. L. Cameron for Clerk, the former receiving a majority of 11 votes. The other successful candidates were: Marshal, J. L. Cameron, elected by a majority of 15 over J. H. Bartupee; Trustees, Graham E. Babcock, George Holmes, Albert Mathews; Library Trustees, C. S. Robinson, Mrs. A. P. Stephens, Rev. C. E. Spaulding, Capt. C. T. Hinde.

National City polls a full vote of 198. The successful candidates are: Trustees for four years, John A. Fleming, Herman School, Frank Hall; two years, E. F. Osborne; City Clerk, George W. Grant; Marshal, William Eggleston, Jr.; Treasurer, Warren B. Vaukhn. W. L. Smith and William Franks were defeated in the Trustee race. August B. Kimball and Euille T. Tolle were defeated in the race for City Clerk. There were no other contests.

In Oceanside 81 votes were polled, the following being elected: Trustees, four-year term, C. J. Goetz, C. B. Howard, the pro-saloon candidates; unexpired term for two years, O. W. Crans, elected by a majority of 5 over J. H. Carter; Trustees, unexpired term of two years, O. W. Crans; Clerk, H. D. Brodie; Treasurer, E. S. Payne; Marshal, W. H. Trotter, elected by a majority of 40 over G. N. Booker.

At Escondido election was very quiet, there being only enough nominees to fill the required positions, as follows: City Trustees, S. Steiner, F. H. Chapin and R. C. Miller; Clerk, S. L. Shotwell; Treasurer, S. A. Reed; Marshal, B. Hinman; Library Trustees, N. T. Edwards, Charles K. Holmberg, Mrs. Bridges, Mrs. Fannie Baldridge and Mrs. E. W. Taber.

PASSENGER CONVENTION.

Word was received this afternoon from George T. Nicholson of the Santa Fé that he will arrive here by special train tomorrow noon to attend the meeting of the Transcontinental Passenger Agents' Association. His party numbers twenty-six, eleven of them railroad men. He wires that it is his wish that the opening session of the convention, scheduled for Hotel del Coronado tomorrow forenoon, be postponed until Wednesday, and that the afternoon be devoted to accepting the proffered hospitality of the Chamber of Commerce for a sail down the bay on the steamer Spokane, and other events. As Nicholson is one of the largest of the magnates it is thought that the railroad men will adopt his proposition. Twelve of the roads in the organization have their representatives already here. The majority of arrivals will be on the noon train tomorrow. They will be met at the railroad station by a committee of members of the Chamber of Commerce and the railroad magnates. Lunch will be served on board the steamer.

VALUABLE FIDDLES SOLD.

Ralph Granger, a wealthy musician, has sold his collection of rare violins, said to be one of the finest in the country, to Lyon & Healy of Chicago, for more than $20,000. Among the instruments are a King Joseph, 1737; Guadagnini, 1780; Stradavari, 1711; Joseph Guarnerius, 1741; Stradavari, 1722; Rugeris, 1701; Nicholas Amatus, 1662; Carlo Bergensi; Jacobus Stainer, 1659; Maggini, no date; Guarnerius (son of Andreas,) 1690, and a Lupot, 1809.

LARGE HOME IN ASHES.

Fire, originating from a gasoline stove used by painters, destroyed the large home of R. V. and J. M. Dodge, Ash and State streets, late this afternoon. The house was a landmark of hospitality in San Diego, as it was here were burned. The loss is

DEATH OF J. E.

Josiah Elmer Shaffer, the County Auditor and ex-officio, died last evening at His brother, George B. Los Angeles National Bank, terday. Mr. Shaffer was Costa county in 1861, and in San Diego county and was connected with the which fixed the line California Railroad, mining business in Los for two years and was a company which tried to the head of the bay, widow and five children.

FOR MRS. BURDETTE.

The local club women to support Mrs. Robert Pasadena for election to of the National Federation Clubs in Los Angeles cent county convention name was mentioned and expressed themselves as her candidacy. She is here and popular.

"Weakness."

My success in permanently curing that condition commonly known as "weakness" fully demonstrates the absolute correctness of my method of treatment, which is a method employed by myself alone. I do not stimulate the functions to temporary activity by the use of strong internal tonics. This is the course commonly pursued by both general practitioners and specialists, and is a treatment that cannot possibly result in a permanent cure. "Weakness" is merely a symptom of chronic inflammation in the prostate gland, brought on by excesses, early dissipation or by the improper treatment of some contracted disease. A complete and radical cure is, therefore, a question of restoring the prostate gland to its normal state, and this accomplish promptly and completely without the use of internal remedies. My treatment is a local one entirely. It is original and scientific, and has been proven absolutely effective by thousands of tests. I am convinced that by no other methods can full and permanent restoration of strength and vigor be accomplished.

O. C. JOSLEN, M.D.
Strictly Reliable.

Varicocele.

Many men afflicted with endangering their general manly power, and even life lowing the disorder to Varicocele results from of the delicate nerve fibers part in controlling local blood. The muscular coating being deprived of nervous and control, become inactive relax. The blood vessels pressure within, the circ parts becomes sluggish, stagnant pools form in pockets that constantly relaxation continues. The ite that clots may form in pools and then pass out into circulation. Should one find valve of the heart the instant death, or should it the brain, general paralysis

I guarantee to cure week by a method that ting, no ligature, no physician employs a like thorough is my work that be the slightest fear of a old condition.

Contracted Disorders.

To but partially cure a contracted disease is almost as dangerous as to allow it to go untreated. Unless every particle of infection and inflammation is removed, the probability exists that the disease will gradually work its way into the general system. Still greater is the danger of the prostate gland becoming chronically inflamed, which always brings partial or complete loss of sexual power. Perhaps 25 per cent. of the cases of so-called "weakness" are a direct result of some improperly-treated contracted disease. During the past five years I have treated over 5000 cases of contracted disorders and have effected an absolutely thorough and safe cure in each instance. There have been no relapses or undesirable developments whatever, and my patients have been cured in less time than other and less thorough forms of treatment require in producing even doubtful results.

Advanced Methods of Treating Men.

No class of human ailments is so little understood among the medical profession today as those diseases peculiar to men. As a result, the methods commonly employed in treating them are but relics of earlier periods in medical science. I have departed from every form of treatment that my own experience and research have proven ineffective and unscientific. I have replaced them with original and thoroughly-modern methods that have proven supremely effective. Every detail of my procedure in each individual case is based upon accurate knowledge as to conditions and requirements, and my cures are duplicated by no other physician or specialist.

I offer consultation entirely free of charge. Those who cannot call in person may write regarding their cases. My colored chart is both interesting and instructive, and will assist in making a home diagnosis.

Specific Blood Poi

This most hideous of diseases can no longer be incurable. The idea that of medical aid is to keep dormant by persistently with mineral poisons. Incorrect as many theories to which some of fession cling. Such treatment infrequently results in the ling drives deeper into where it attacks and destroys the very bones of the body, tively drive the very last poison from the system is now The cure is thorough and and every symptom of the ishes forever. I employ no drugs or mineral poisons, harmless, blood-cleansing heretofore unknown in the of this disease. I regard myself in overcoming this frightful as the crowning triumph of my fessional career.

DR. O. C. JOSLEN, Cor. 3d and Main S

THE ORANGE MA

Special and Authentic Quotations

FRUITS IN THE EAST.

YORK AUCTION SALES.

ORK, April 14.—[Exclusive Twenty-nine cars of or- sold at auction today. Con- each waste the market was demand active, though with pts the immediate outlook no fear for good fruit. xtra fancy, large, 3.15@ r, 2.20@4.05; small, 3.15@3.55; o, 2.70@3.60; regular, 3.20@ 2.45@3.80; half boxes, 1.60@ , large, 2.05@3.30; regular, mall, 2.20@3.25; standard, large, 1.70@2 small, 1.75@2. Seedlings— @3.00; small, 3.00; small, 2.45; regular, standard, lar small, 2.10@2. Bloods—2.50 Ruby, 2.25@2 Malta, 2.75@3 Mediterrane halves, 1.10; Grape fruit, 1.12½@3.12½.

USINESS.

AL AND COMMERCIAL.

FICE OF THE TIMES, os Angeles, April 13, 1902.

FINANCIAL.

LEARINGS. The exchanges the local clearinghouses mounted to $4,699,583.13, as with $4,529,097.15 the week $5,096,282.67 the week and $4,161,622.08 in the . For the corresponding the figures were $3,511,

PLENTY. The deposits in and Merchants' Bank ove $7,000,000, an increase ince the beginning of the

OCKS AND BONDS. The Stock and Bond Exchange securities as follows:

ANGELES BANKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
n	171	
Commerce	102	
	150	155
	130	
	129	
	57	
l Merchants'	265	
al	240	
erican Savings	155	
National	163	
Savings	50	
National	120	
k of California	125	130
and Trust	97	100
ings Bank	87½	
Savings	140	
National	110	115
n & Trust Co.	20	
of Savings	100	
Pasadena	190	195
ational, Pasa	120	
Val., Pasadena	170	

90; paid up, $50.

LLANEOUS STOCKS.

tric Co	74	75½
g Co.		103
e & Trust Co.	125	
e & Trust Co.	99	
s & Trust Co.	95	
tion Co. 7s	103	
& Kern E. Ry 5s	100	102½
r Co. 6s	102½	
ent Co. 5s	100	
Co. of Pomona		
s	101	
Water Co.	103	103
Co. 5s	102½	103½
Pacific 5s	101½	103

BONDS.

5s	118	
and Pasadena		
way 5s	102	103
n. & Ref. Co.	102	104
way 4s	92	
etic Water Co.		
	102	105
R. Ry. Co 5s	98	
tric Light and		
6s	101	
Gas and Elec-		
	102	105
Water Co.	103	104
Elec. Co. 6s	103	
r Co. 5s	95	
n Co. 5s	107	110
n Co. 6s	115¼	
Co. 6s		100
ric, Gas and		
s		100
r, Light and		
s		104
Co. 6s		102

SOUTHWEST LEAGUE

Improvement Associa
Its First Year's Work a
ficers—Water Extensio

The Southwest Improvement concluded its first year's meeting held last night at mont avenue. The officers were unanimous the coming year: Pre List; vice-president, R secretary and treasurer.

It was announced company would furnish on Jefferson, Thirty-seventy-eighth streets west of nue after May 15.

A committee was ap steps looking to the pr park site for that pu Representatives of the deavor to induce the Company to lay a Vermont avenue soon, street is improved, it be torn up for the tracks

Pictures.

As soon as the full series of California views have been put day Times, they will be g in attractive form. The

THE ORANGE MARKET.

Special and Authentic Quotations by Telegraph.

FRUITS IN THE EAST.

NEW YORK AUCTION SALES.

NEW YORK, April 14.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Twenty-nine cars of oranges sold at auction today. Considerable waste the market was in demand active, though with despite the immediate outlook is no fear for good fruit.

Extra fancy, large, 3.15@3.45; fancy, large, 2.70@3.00; small, 2.30@2.65; choice, large, 1.90@2.45; regular, 2.30@3.00; small, 2.00@2.55; standard, large, 1.70@2.90; regular, 2.15@3.45; small, 1.75@8.10.

Seedlings—Extra fancy, regular, 2.55@3.00; small, 2.30; fancy, regular, 2.65@3.05; small, 2.35; choice, large, 1.90@2.45; regular, 2.30@3.00; small, 2.00@2.55; standard, large, 2.40; regular, 1.75@2.70; small, 2.10@2.20.

Bloods—2.50@3.75; halves, 1.30@1.80; Ruby, 2.62½@3.87½; halves, 1.40@2.62½; Malta, 2.75@3.62½; halves, 1.25@2.85.

Mediterranean Sweets, 2.15@2.30; halves, 1.10; St. Michaels, 2.37½@3.12½.

Grape fruit, 1.37½@2.87½. Tangerines, 1.12½@2.12½. Mandarines, 2.12½.

BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES.
Los Angeles, April 12, 1902.

FINANCIAL.

CLEARINGS. The exchanges at the local clearinghouses amounted to $4,689,582.13, as against $4,583,097.15 the week previous, $5,096,283.07 the week before and $4,101,623.06 in the corresponding week. For the corresponding week of the figures were $3,511,—

MONEY PLENTY. The deposits in the Commercial and Merchants' Bank have reached $7,000,000, an increase of $1,000,000 since the beginning of the

STOCKS AND BONDS. The New York Stock and Bond Exchange has adopted securities as follows:

LOS ANGELES BANKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
First National	171	.....
Commercial	102	.....
Merchants'	150	156
Citizens	130	.....
Los Angeles	139	.....
Merchants'	55	.....
Southern California	240	.....
Savings Bank	158	.....
German American	163	.....
Savings	50	.....
First National	190	.....
Bank of California	125	130
Trust	97	100
Savings	87½	.....
Savings	140	.....
First National	110	115
Title Ins. & Trust Co.	20	.....
Savings	150	.....
Pasadena	190	196
National, Pasa.	120	.....
Security, Pasadena	170	.....

Capital paid up, $50.

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

Edison Co.	74	75½
Gas Co.	.....	103
Gas & Trust Co.	125	.....
Gas & Trust Co.	99	.....
Gas Co.	104	106½
Cemetery Co.	102	.....
Cal. Fruit Farm Co.	100	102½
Cemetery Co.	100	.....
Water Co. of Pomona	.....	101
Power Co.	102	103
Power Co. 5s	102½	103½
Pacific 5s	101½	103

BONDS.

Edison 6s	118	.....
Pasadena	.....	.....
Railway 5s	102	103
Gas & Elec. Co. 1st	102	104
Railway 4s	92	.....
Domestic Water Co.	.....	.....
Power Co. 1st 5s	102	105
Electric Light and Power 6s	98	.....
Electric Light 4s	101	.....
Gas and Electric 6s	102	105
Water Co. 6s	.....	104
Elec. Co. 6s	102	.....
Power Co. 5s	95	.....
Power Co. 5s	107	110
Power Co. 6s	115¾	.....
Power Co. 6s	..	109
Gas and Electric	.....	.....
Light and Power	.....	104
Power Co. 5s	.....	102

COMMERCIAL.

There is no actual change in the local market. At the San Francisco, conditions have reached a more

THERE IS PLENTY.

There is a little primary points on the prospect of a good of fruit has induced up old stocks be-

FLOWER.

The price of primary mar-

SUGAR.

The price of the high cost of

BACON.

The cracker generally made an advance of 1 per cent. on their further advance is

BUSINESS TOPICS.

SHIPMENTS. Shipments from Southern California were 198 carloads of lemons. The total November 1, 1901, to carloads, of which 826

FLAX CROP.

Crop Reporter, publishes the Department of Agriculture, crop of the world for the year for which comparisons are available, 1,569 bushels, against 1899 and 72,938,500 forward of 95 per cent. was produced in four the United States, Russia, Argentina, less than 5 total crop being produced countries of the In 1900 Russia produced of the world's crop, against 21.66 per cent.; Argentina, 13.76 all other countries com-

The commercial crop of flax was 331,400,000 bushels, produced in Europe and Asia. The great flaxseed-producing countries outside of Europe besides Russia are the United States, which in this phase of the industry has the largest crop of the year, estimated to 1,312,709,000 pounds in 1,159,477,800 pounds in 1898, 1,103,000,000 pounds in 1897, 1,050,000,000 pounds in 1896, 1,000,000,000 pounds in 1895. The United States has 39 per cent. of the total in the world, Russia 37 per cent., being the combined crop of the rest of Europe, Asia and Africa.

Specific Blood Poison.

Of all the most hideous of all wretchedness can no longer be classed as incurable. The idea that the use of mercurial aid is to keep the disease in check by persistently doing battle with mineral poisons, is correct as many of the remedies to which many of the victims of this terrible disease are driven, only temporarily results in the virus being driven deeper into the system, where it attacks and destroys the very bones of the sufferer. I promise to drive the very last taint of disease from the system in sixty days, and cure is thorough and permanent, every symptom of the disease will be gone forever. I employ no dangerous mineral poisons, my treatment is a new mineral, blood-cleansing remedy, entirely unknown in the treatment of this disease. I regard my method of treating this frightful disease as the crowning triumph of my professional career.

Varicocele.

Men afflicted with varicocele, spermatorrhœa, nervousness, and every kind of weakness, and even life itself, by the disorder or to remain idle, can get results from partial treatment. The delicate nerve fibers that go to make up the controlling local circulation of the genital organs, the muscular coating of the blood vessels expanding and contracting within, the circulation is retarded, becomes sluggish, and then pools form in little spots in the veins that constantly enlarge as the circulation continues. The pools may form in the testicles and then pass out into the system. Should one find a pool in the veins of the heart the result would be death, or should it be some vital part, general paralysis would follow. I guarantee to cure varicocele by a method that involves no pain, no ligature, no caustic. No cutting, employs a like method, and in my work that there need be the slightest fear of a relapse into the affliction.

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Main St

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been keeping back the new crop, so that it will not be mature much before six weeks. It requires four or five cars a day, thirty to thirty-five cars a week, to supply the demand, as it is today. This means that some 200 cars of old potatoes will be needed to meet the new crop. Stocks at primary points are becoming exhausted and holders are firm for higher figures. Choice Oregon are costing $1.90 per 100 pounds today down here. Some take far even higher prices.

Onions are firm for choice, unsprouted stock.

Good rhubarb is steady. Asparagus is easy.

The eastern markets on oranges are strong.

Fruit of all kinds is scarce and high. The season is somewhat backward and berries and garden truck are scarce.

Poultry is very scarce.

Beans are very dull.

Silver Leaf and White Label pure lard are up ¼ cent. All meat and provision markets are strong. Eight carloads of honey and seven of apricots are going out of here this week for eastern points. It is astounding how an active demand draws out supplies from all sorts of corners.

Potatoes, Onions and Vegetables

POTATOES—Per ctl., choice to fancy, 2.15@2.25; fair to good, 1.85@2.00; sweets, 2.00.

ONIONS—Fair to fancy, per cwt., 2.50@3.00.

VEGETABLES—Beets, per cwt., 80@75; cabbage, 65@75; carrots, 80@85 per cwt.; green chiles, 20@22½ per lb.; dry chiles, per string, 75 @1.00; lettuce, per doz., 20; parsnips, 1.20@1.25 per cwt.; green peas, 3@3½; radishes, per dozen bunches, 25; string beans, 12@13; turnips, 1.50@1 per cwt.; garlic, 6@8½; tomatoes, 2.25@3.50; asparagus, per lb., 4@5; rhubarb, per box, No. 1, 90@1.00; No. 2, 70@75.

Dried Fruits, Nuts and Raisins.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, evaporated, choice to fancy, 7½@8; apricots, 10@11; peaches, fancy, 7½@8; choice, 7@7½; pears, fancy, evaporated, 6½@7; plums, pitted, choice, 7½@8; prunes, choice, 5½@6; fancy, 6½@8; dates, 7; figs, sacks, California, white, per lb., 4@7; California, black, per lb., 5@6; California, fancy layers, per lb., 8@7½; imported Smyrnas, 9.

RAISINS—Fancy Clusters, per box, 2.00; London Layers, per box, 1.00@2.25; loose, 6½@7 per lb.; Seedless Sultanas, 6½@7½.

NUTS — Almonds, paper-shell, 14; softshell, 13; hardshell, 11; Brazils, 12@13; filberts, 12@14; peanuts, raw, eastern, 6½; roasted, 8½; California, choice raw, 5½; California, fancy raw, 6; California, roasted, 7@7½; walnuts, softshell, first grade, 10½@11; hardshell, first grade, 9½ @10; Dinones, New Mexico, 9.

Live Stock.

HOGS—Per cwt., 4.50@7.00.

CATTLE—Per cwt., 4.25@4.50 for prime steers; 4.00@4.10 for cows and heifers; calves, 5.00@5.50.

SHEEP—Per head, wethers, 4.75@5.00; ewes, 4.50@4.75; lambs, 3.25@3.50.

Fresh Fruits and Berries.

LEMONS—Per box, choice to fancy, 2.00@2.50; green, 1.00@1.50.

ORANGES—Navels, 2.50@2.75.

LIMES—Per 100, 1.00.

COCOANUTS—Per doz., 90@1.00.

PINEAPPLES—Per doz., 4.00@5.00.

GRAPE FRUIT—Per box, 1.50@1.75.

STRAWBERRIES—Per box, common, 5@10; fancy, 15@20.

APPLES—Good to choice, 1.75@2.75.

BANANAS—Per bunch, 2.00@2.75.

Hay and Grain.

BARLEY—Mill price, $6.

OATS—Jobbing price, 1.25.

CORN—1.45.

HAY—New barley, 5.00@13.00; alfalfa, 10.00@ 11.00.

WHEAT—Mill price, per cental, 1.15@1.20.

Poultry.

POULTRY—Dealers pay live weight for stock in good condition: 11@12 per lb. for poultry; ducks, 10@11; for turkeys, 15@20; geese, 10@11.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

BUTTER—Fancy Board of Trade creamery, per square, 40; southern creamery, 40; dairy, 37½; Coast creamery, 40.

EGGS—Per doz., fresh ranch, 15½@16.

CHEESE—California, Anchor, per lb., 12½; California, Young America, per lb., 14½; California, 3-lb. hand, per lb., 13½; Coast, full cream, per lb., 12; domestic Swiss, per lb. 17@17½; imported Swiss, per lb. 27; Edam, fancy, per dozen, 8.50; Martin's New York cream, per lb., 12@15½; Wisconsin, full cream, per lb., 15; Macaw, 14@15½.

Honey and Beeswax.

BEESWAX—Per lb., 21@22.

HONEY—Per lb., in comb, frames, 11@12½; extracted, 5@6.

Flour and Feedstuffs.

FLOUR—Per bbl., local extra roller process, 3.00@3.80; northern, 3.35; eastern, Pillsbury's Best, 5.75; other brands, 3.75@4.50; graham flour, 2.60 per 100 lbs.

ROLLED BARLEY—1.00.

CRACKED CORN—1.45.

BRAN—80.

Beans.

BEANS — Pink, 2.50@2.55; Lima, 4.75@5.00; Lady Washington, 3.00@3.25; white, 3.25@3.50.

Fresh Meats.

BEEF—Per lb., 7½@8.

VEAL—9@10.

MUTTON—Per lb., 9; lamb, 11.

PORK—Per lb., 8½.

Provisions.

HAMS—Per lb., Rex, 14; Gilbert, 12; picnic, 9½@10½; Winchester, medium, 14; do., light, 14; Premium, 15; skinned, 15@15½; 40's or 14; Gold Band, 15.

DRY SALT PORK—Per lb., clear bellies, 13@13½; short clears, 11½@11¾; clear backs, 11½@11¾.

DRIED BEEF—Per lb., insides, 14½@15½.

PICKLED PORK—Per bbl., Sunderland, 24.00.

BACON — Per lb., Rex breakfast, 14½; mild cured do., 13½; special fancy, 14½; bacon backs, 12½; Winchester, medium, 14½; light, 14½; Empirt, 16; Premium, 15; 40's, medium, 14½; light, 14½; Gold Band, 12.

LARD — Pure, per lb., Silver Leaf, tierces, 12¼; 50-lb. tins, 12¾; 10s, 13¼; 5s, 13½; 3s, 13¾; Rex, tierces, 11¼; 50s, 11¾; 20s, 11¾; 10s, 12¼; 5s, 12½; 3s, 12¾; White Label, tierces, 12¼; 50s, 12¾; 10s, 13¼; 5s, 13½; 3s, 13¾.

NEW YORK MARKETS

SHARES AND MONEY.

(BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

NEW YORK, April 14.—There was a feverish and excited close in today's stock market after a day of varying sentiment. The early strength was not maintained, in spite of wide advances in a few stocks, and the course was gradually downward until the late dealings when there was a general break all around. Prices had risen again after the sagging tendency under the stimulus of the extraordinary advances in some of the grangers and Northwesterns. But the perception of realising under cover of this strength and the sensational advance to 133 in Louisville and Nashville unsettled sentiment again and led to the general unloading on final dealings. There were some feverish and spasmodic rallies, but the market closed feverish and irregular with a weak undertone.

Much attention and surmise were given to the Louisville and Nashville situation and the disposition to be made of its control which is now without dissent understood to have escaped its long-time holders. Some hope is entertained that a community of interest among the southern trunk lines will be worked out as a result of the new control which seems to have been acquired without any large railroad policy in view, but simply for speculative profits. It is patent that great financial and railroad interests are now striving to readjust the situation from the standpoint of railroad policy, which necessitates a settlement to the satisfaction of the interest which has secured the control almost by chance. The action of the stock today did not indicate any very definite prospect of settlement, the feverish flight of the stock indicating rather profound unsettlement and uncertainty of the speculative mind.

The remarkable rise in Northwestern grangers was without explanation unless it was the result of pure manipulation to further profit-taking at other points. The Chicago and Northwestern stocks, St. Paul and Omaha and the St. Paul stocks were marked up in a short period of trading from 2¼ to 13 points. St. Paul relapsed as suddenly to below Saturday and fluctuated at the last almost as wildly as Louisville itself.

The money market was appreciably lower as a result of the stronger condition of the banks as revealed by Saturday's statement. But the extent to which outstanding credits are involved in the great speculative operations going on in the stock market is not entirely satisfactory to the conservative minds and was the subject of much comment and some criticism today. Reports of rain in the winter-wheat belt were productive of some buying of stocks, and reports were received of a heavy merchandise movement on western railroads, in spite of the shrunken proportions of the grain movement. The February statement of Missouri Pacific did not serve to corroborate this view. The peace rumors from London helped the early strength in the market, although the buying from that source seemed to be in the nature of reinvestment of the proceeds of Louisville and Nashville stock sold.

The bond market was unsettled and irregular. Total sales, $5,995,000. United States 2s advanced ¼, the 3s, registered, ¼, and the old 4s, coupon, ¼ on the last call. Government bonds strong. State bonds inactive, railroad bonds irregular.

Money on call firm at 4¼@6 per cent., closing: bid and asked, 5@6 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 4½@5½ per cent.

Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.87⅝ for demand and at 4.85⅛ for sixty days; posted rates, 4.86 and 4.87½; commercial bills, 4.84½@4.85¼.

Bar silver, 53¾. Mexican dollars, 40¾.

Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

Atchison	78¾	So. Railway	34¼
Atchison pfd	97½	So. Railway pfd	91
Baltimore & Ohio	106¾	Texas & Pacific	34¾
B. & O. pfd	96	T. St. L. & W.	31
Canadian Pacific	119¾	T. St. L. pfd	59½
Canada Southern	89¾	Union Pacific	101¾
Chesa. & Ohio	46	Union Pac. pfd	87⅛
Chicago & Alton	37	Wabash	23¾
C. & Alton pfd	74¼	Wabash pfd	43¾
C. I. & L.	41	W. & L. E.	20¾
C. I. & L. pfd	73¾	W. & L. E. 2d pfd	33
C. & E. Illinois	148¾	Wis. Central	22
Chicago G. W.	24¾	Wis. Cen. pfd	44¼
C. & G. W. "A"	17¼	Express Co's—	
C. & G. W. "B"	45	Adams	225
Chicago & N. W.	208½	American	231
C. R. I. & P.	174¼	United States	130¼
Chicago Ter	13	Wells-Fargo	206
Chicago Ter. pfd	34¼	Miscellaneous—	
C. C. C. & St. L.	103¼	Amal. Copper	82
Colo. Southern	28½	Am. Car & F.	39¾
Colo. So. 1st pfd	74¼	Am. C. & F. pfd	89
Colo. So. 2d pfd	44¾	Am. Linseed O.	22¾
Del. & Hudson	170½	Am. Lin. Oil pfd	45
D., L. & W.	284	Am. S. & R.	42¼
Denver & R. G.	39¾	Am. S. & R. pfd	94¾
D. & R. G. pfd	91¾	Anaconda M. Co.	51¾
Erie	36¼	Brooklyn R. T.	64¾
Erie 1st pfd	57¾	Colo. Fuel & I.	44¾
Erie 2d pfd	14	Con. Gas	224
Great N. pfd	182½	Cont'l Tob. pfd	119¼
Hocking Valley	72¾	Gen. Electric	229
Hock. Val. pfd	91	Glucose Sugar	29¾
Illinois Central	143¾	Int'l Paper	24¾
Iowa Central	40¾	Int'l Paper pfd	74¼
Iowa Cen. pfd	82¼	Int'l Power	118
Lake Erie & W.	42	Laclede Gas	89
L. E. & W. pfd	88	Nat'l Biscuit	43
Louis. & Nash.	127½	Nat'l Lead	18
Manhattan L.	132⅜	North American	112¾
Met. St. Ry.	151⅛	Pacific Coast	79
Mexican Central	20	Pacific Mail	41
Mexican Nat'l	19	People's Gas	103¾
Minn. & St. L.	106¾	P. Steel Car	49¾
Missouri Pacific	100¾	P. S. Car pfd	94
M., K. & Texas	34¾	Pull. Palace Car	232
M., K. & T. pfd	54¼	Republic Steel	17¾
N. J. Central	139	Rep. Steel pfd	82
N. Y. Central	162	Sugar	130¾
Norfolk & W.	56¾	Tenn. Coal & I.	84
N. & W. pfd	82	Union Bag & P.	16
Ontario & W.	32¾	Union Bag pfd	82
Pennsylvania	152	U. S. Leather	12¾
Reading	57¾	U. S. Leather pfd	82
Reading 1st pfd	82¼	U. S. Rubber	18
Reading 2d pfd	65	U. S. R. pfd	60
St. Louis & S. F.	29¾	U. S. Steel	30¾
St. L. 1st pfd	82	U. S. Steel pfd	93¾
St. L. 2d pfd	73¾	Western Union	90¾
St. L. & S. W.	23¾	Am. Loc. Co.	39¾
St. L. & S. W. pfd	61¼	Am. Loc. Co. pfd	93
St. Paul	161	K. C. Southern	24
St. Paul pfd	187	K. C. So. pfd	56
Southern Pacific	66¼		

Total sales for the day, 985,700 shares.

Bond List.

U. S. R. 3s reg.	103¾	L. & N. Un. 4s	102¾
U. S. R. 3s coup.	103¾	Mex. Cen. 4s	68
U. S. 3s reg.	106¾	Mex. C. 1st Inc.	36
U. S. 3s coup.	106¾	M. & St. L. 4s	104¼
U. S. 4s reg.	137¾	M. K. & T. 4s	98¼
U. S. 4s coup.	139¾	M. K. & T. 2ds	83¼
U. S. old 4s reg.	111¾	N. Y. C. 3½s	103¾
U. S. old 4s coup.	111¾	N. Y. C. 4s	107¾
U. S. 5s reg.	107	N. Y. C. Gen. 4s	140
U. S. 5s coup.	107	N. P. 4s	103¾
Atchison Gen. 4s	101¾	N. P. 3s	74¾
Atchison Adj. 4s	94¼	N. A. W. Con. 4s	101¾
B. & O. 4s	102¾	Reading Gen. 4s	96
B. & O. 3½s	94¼	St. L. & I. M. 5s	114¼
B. & O. Conv. 4s	103	St. L. & S. F. Gen. 6s	107
Can. So. 2ds	109	St. L. S. W. 1sts	100¼
C. & O. 4½s	112¾	St. L. S. W. 2ds	84¼
C. of Ga. 1st Inc.	87¼	S. A. & A. P. 4s	92
C. & O. 4½s	108½	So. Pacific 4s	92
C. & O. A. 5s	109½	So. Railway 5s	124¼
C. B. & Q. 5s	96¾	So. Railway 6s	121¾
C. M. & St. P. 4s	116	T. St. L. & W.	87
C. & N. W. 7s	136¾	Union Pacific 4s	105¾
C. & N. W. Con. 7s	140¾	U. P. Conv. 4s	107¾
C. C. C. & St. L.	104¼	Wabash 1sts	119½
Chicago Ter. 4s	89¾	Wabash 2ds	110¾
Colo. & So. 4s	103¾	Wabash Deb.	71
D. & R. G. 4s	103¾	West Shore 4s	113
Erie prior lien 4s	100	W. & L. E. 4s	97½
Erie Gen. 4s	78¾	Wis. Cen. 4s	92¾
Fort Worth 1sts	113½	Cont'l Tob. 6s	65¼
Hock. Val. 4½s	110		

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Money—		U. S. Steel pfd	93
Call loans	4@4½	Westinghouse Com.	113
Time loans	4@5	Miscellaneous—	
Bonds—		Adventure	22¾
Atchison 4s	103¾	Allouez	25¾
Atchison adj.	85½	Amalgamated	67⅝
Mex. Cen. 4s	54	Baltic	40¾
Mex. Cen. 1st	36	Bingham	31
Railroads—		Cal. & Hecla	730@735
Atchison	79	Centennial	30
Atchison pfd	97¼	Copper Range	80
Boston & Albany	253	Dominion Coal	145
Boston & Maine	195	Franklin	11¾
N. Y. N. H. & H.	230	Isle Royale	18¼
Fitchburg pfd	137	Mohawk	47¾
Union Pacific	101¼	Old Dominion	23¾
Mexican Central	20	Osceola	64
Parrot	24¾	Quincy	125
Miscellaneous—		Santa Fe Copper	7¾
Am. Sugar	131	Tamarack	175
Am. Sugar pfd	119¾	Trimountain	70
Am. T. & T.	167¾	Trinity	14
Dom. I. & S.	71¾	United States	19¾
Gen. Electric	227¼	Utah	10¾
Mass. Electric	42	Winona	1¼
Mass. Elec. pfd	87	Wolverine	64½
N. E. G. & C.	4¾	Daly-West	44¼
United Fruit	104		
Con. Rubber Com.	61		
U. S. Steel	41		

London Stock Markets.

NEW YORK, April 14.—The Commercial Advertiser's London financial cablegram says: "A moderate amount of activity characterized the stock market today and shares were strong all around on hopes of peace in South Africa. Balfour admits that overtures are passing back and forth. Consols touched 9⅞ and closed at 94⅝. There is talk that a new issue of from £25,000,000 to £30,000,000 will be announced in tonight's budget. Americans were more active but there was not much local buying. The shares opened well above parity. New York became a general buyer, but as a rule the close was nominal. Louisville and Nashville was again the feature. The stock opened at 112¾, which was nearer parity than since the beginning of the present upward movement. Big houses were short and bobbers are chary about dealing. Denver and Rio Grande bulged two points in the street and other features of the day were Union Pacific, Atchison, Baltimore and Ohio, Southern Pacific and Canadian Pacific, all on New York orders. Rio Tintos were ⅝ down to 44⅝, and copper ⅝ up to £53⅝ the ton; Anaconda ⅛ down to 5⅝, on sympathy with Amalgamated Copper. The government is disbursing funds. Silver is flat and looks lower on New York realisations."

Visible Grain Supply.

NEW YORK, April 14.—The visible supply of grain Saturday, April 12, as compiled by the New York Produce Exchange, is as follows: Wheat, 46,614,000 bushels; decrease 985,000 bushels. Oats, 2,064,000 bushels; decrease 246,000 bushels. Rye, 1,947,000 bushels; decrease 44,000 bushels. Barley, 5,178,000 bushels; decrease 277,000 bushels.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—Today's statement of the treasury balances shows: Available cash balance, $178,906,963; gold, $93,753,906.

Consols and Silver.

LONDON, April 14.—Consols, 94⅝. Silver, 24⅛.

GENERAL EASTERN MARKETS

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

(BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

CHICAGO, April 14.—Shorts in the corn pit were the cause of the panicky actions in grains. At the start there was an inclination to sell stuff because of the easy feeling in wheat. It took only a few spurts of the St. Louis market, however, to create a strong demand by the unfortunate early sellers. The naturally dullish situation in the corn trade, with continued reports of depletions of stocks at all prominent centers, and an improving demand, scared the shorts badly. The rumor that was started in March of a possible corner was renewed again and a hot start resulted. Great buying force was under the vessel and prices were rushed up 7 cents almost before the market was well under way. May opened ¼c higher to ½c lower at 61⅝ to 61¾, and jumped to 67¾. This was an advance of about 6 cents over the low price on the decline of a week or ten days ago, and of almost 4 cents since Saturday morning. St. Louis was buying here, supposedly to finish the covering of the big short line begun Saturday. Offerings were not enough to supply the demand. Everybody in the pit was nervous. Trade was guesswork all around. After the early excitement there was considerable selling by people who thought corn had all the twist needed for the present. Business quieted down and as wheat reacted from its sympathetic higher prices, corn eased. Liquidation at top prices brought good profits. There was a good demand for the cash article, which, together with strong cables, helped in putting a bullish interpretation on every bit of news. Traders in all pits were talking of the remarkable outlook for speculation and manipulation in corn. News continues to arrive of farmers feeding corn to stock because of the advanced prices in cattle and hogs make good profits. May corn at Southwestern markets is 1 to 1½c over Chicago prices. The country, traders say, must have Chicago corn—and there is little of that. After high prices May corn sold off to 61⅞, but rallied again and closed strong, ⅝c up at 62¼.

Wheat started out with a sickly aspect on unresponsive cables and rains in the Southwestern wheat country. May opened ¼c to ⅝c lower at 72⅝ to 73, but at once felt the influence of the soaring corn market. In a very short time covering and an investment demand sent May to 75⅝. As corn began its decline, after the opening bulge, wheat eased off. Then a big line was sold for a leading bull professional and as the "tailers" filed in to sell, the market slumped off below Saturday's close. The Southwest sold here and those markets were lower. Commission houses were on both sides of the market, but principally sold. Liquidation for profits was very popular. The visible decrease of 1,800,000 bushels was a little more than expected, but had no effect. Trade was active. May closed weak at its lowest price, ⅝c off at 73⅜.

Trade in oats was fair and on the corn influence, prices advanced. May closed ⅝c up at 42⅛c.

Provisions had a fair general trade. May pork closed 5c up; May lard a shade lower, and ribs 5c higher.

The leading futures closed as follows:

Wheat. No. 2—	Closing.
May	73⅜
July	73¼
September	72⅞
Corn. No. 2—	
May	62¼
July	61⅝@62
September	61⅛
Oats. No. 2—	
May	42¼
Old July	35
Old September	30½
New July	30@30¼

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was steady: No. 3 spring wheat, 65¼@73¼; No. 3 red, 79@80¼; No. 2 corn, 62; No. 2 yellow, 62; No. 2 oats, 42; No. 3 white, 34¾@34¾; No. 3 white, 44¼@45; No. 2 rye, 57@57¼; fair to choice malting barley, 64@68; No. 1 flax seed, 1.75; No. 1 northwestern, 1.78; prime timothy seed, 6.30; mess pork, per bbl., 16.80@16.85; lard, per 100 lbs., 8.72½@8.75; short ribs, sides (loose), 8.00@8.15; dry salted shoulders (boxed), 7¼@7¾; short clear sides (boxed), 9.65@9.75; whisky, basis of high wines, 1.30; clover, contract grade, 7.90.

Grain Movements.

Articles—	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	34,000	16,000
Wheat, bushels	34,000	415,000
Corn, "	71,000	32,000
Oats, "	206,000	254,000
Rye, "	10,000	150,000
Barley, "	37,000	

On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was steady; creamery, 24@29; dairy, 24 @27; cheese, steady, 12@13. Eggs, steady; fresh, 14¾@15.

New York General Markets.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Wheat—Spot easy. Options closed easy at ⅛@¼ net decline; May, 73⅝; July, 75⅜; September, 78⅝; December, 79⅞.

Hides—Quiet.

Wool—Quiet; domestic fleece, 26@28c.

Coffee—Rio, spot quiet; No. 7 invoice, 5½; mild dull: Cordova, 6@12c; futures closed steady, 5@10 points lower; May, 5.05; July, 5.15@5.25; August, 5.30; September, 5.40@5.45; December, 5.60; January, 5.75. March, 5.85.

Sugar, raw steady; fair refining, 2⅞; centrifugal, 96 test, 3⅜; molasses sugar, 2⅝; refined steady; crushed, 5.35; powdered, 4.85; granulated, 4.75.

Cotton—Futures closed steady, unchanged to 5 points lower.

Butter—Receipts, 6400 packages; strong; State dairy, 25@30; creamery, State, 26@31; creamery, imitation, 24@28; factory, 20@24.

Eggs—Receipts, 21,500 packages; strong; State and Pennsylvania, 16@16¾; western, at mark, 16¾@17¾.

Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Evaporated apples were in light demand and the market was without new feature, the small business transacted being within the quoted range. On lower grades the tone was weak but steady on best apples. State, common to good, 70@7½; prime, 8@8¼; choice, 8¼@8½; fancy, 10¼@11. Prunes reflected steadiness and some activity in a jobbing way for large sizes; small continued easy and dull. Apricots and peaches were steady and unchanged, moving fairly well. Prunes, 3¼@7. Apricots, Royal, 10@14; Moorpark, 11¼@12½. Peaches, peeled, 14@18; unpeeled, 6@10c.

Metal Markets.

NEW YORK, April 14.—A slight advance in the local tin market followed a good gain at London, and prices at the close here were quoted up to 27.75@28.00. London finished £1 7s 6d higher. Copper was quiet and steady here with lake at 12¾ asked and casting at 12. London closed with copper 10s higher, making spot £53 17s 6d and futures £54. Lead at London advanced 1s 9d, closing at £11 11s 3d; New York unchanged. Spelter unchanged. Iron was quiet and unchanged. Pig iron warrants nominal.

Wool at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, April 14.—Wool, weak; lower; Territory and western medium, 15@16½; fine, 11@11c; coarse, 11@11c.

Portland Wheat Market.

PORTLAND, April 14.—Wheat, Walla Walla, 69@64; blue stem, 64@65.

Tacoma Wheat Market.

TACOMA, April 14.—Wheat steady; unchanged; blue stem, 64½; club, 63 1-2.

Wheat at Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, April 14.—Wheat—Close: May, 5s 11¼d; July, 5s 11d.

LIVE-STOCK MARKETS.

RECEIPTS AND QUOTATIONS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, April 14.—Cattle—Receipts, 18,500; strong to 10c higher; good to prime steers, 6.75@7.40; poor to medium, 4.50@6.60; stockers and feeders, 2.75@5.25; cows, 1.40@4.10; heifers, 2.50 @4.35; canners, 1.40@2.50; bulls, 2.50@5.40; calves, 2.50@5.50; Texas-fed steers, 5.25@6.35. Hogs—Receipts today, 35,000; tomorrow, 20,000; left over, 3000; steady to 5c lower; closed steady; mixed and butchers', 6.15@7.27½; good to choice heavy, 7.20@7.30; rough heavy, 6.90@ 7.20; light, 6.75@7.10; bulk of sales, 6.55@7.25. Sheep—Receipts, 18,000; sheep strong to 10c higher; lambs steady; good to choice wethers, 5.25@5.60; fair to choice mixed, 4.75@5.25; western sheep, 4.75@5.25; native lambs, 4.75@7.00; western lambs, 5.25@7.00.

Denver Live-stock Market.

DENVER, April 14.—Cattle—Receipts, 800; firm; beef steers, 4.90@5.75; cows, 3.00@4.75; stockers and feeders, freight paid to river, 3.00@5.25; bulls, stags, etc., 1.50@4.00. Hogs—Receipts, 100; steady; light packers, 6.40@6.60; mixed and heavy, 6.60@7.05. No sheep.

Kansas City Live-stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, April 14.—Cattle—Receipts, 4000; including 1500 Texans; strong, 10c higher; native steers, 5.50@7.00; Texas and Indian steers, 4.75@6.25; Texas cows, 2.50@6.00; native cows and heifers, 3.40@4.50; stockers and feeders, 3.50@5.00; calves, 4.50@7.15. Hogs—Receipts, 5000; market strong; bulk of sales, 6.70@7.00; heavy, 7.10@7.25; packers, 6.80 @7.15; medium, 6.90@7.15; light, 6.50@7.00; Yorkers, 6.85@7.00; pigs, 5.85@6.60. Sheep—Receipts, 2000; market steady; muttons, 5.40@5.75; lambs, 6.40@7.00; range wethers, 5.40@5.85; ewes, 4.85 @5.35.

South Omaha Live-stock Markets.

SOUTH OMAHA, April 14.—Cattle—Receipts, 2500; market, slow, steady; native steers, 4.75 @7.00; cows and heifers, 3.75@6.00; western steers, 4.50@6.15; Texas steers, 4.25@5.60; canners,

San Bernardino, Orange and Riverside Counties.

[NEWS REPORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

JEWELRY AND MONEY TAKEN BY BURGLARS.

SUNDAY NIGHT HAULS IN COLTON AND SAN BERNARDINO.

Former Bank President the Heaviest Loser—Only Homes of Wealthy Entered, and Chloroform Believed to Have Been Used.

SAN BERNARDINO, April 14.—Four burglaries in this city and one in Colton, a near-by town, is the record for last night. All the houses entered are occupied by persons of wealth.

The largest haul was made at the home in Colton of E. D. Roberts, ex-president of the San Bernardino National Bank of this city. At an early hour this morning Mrs. Roberts was awakened by a noise in the room, and called her husband. He investigated and discovered a burglar retreating from the bedroom. Roberts commanded the burglar to throw up his hands, which he did, but kept backing away until he reached the door, when he turned and ran. He took with him jewelry worth $350, including a very valuable watch.

The four houses entered in this city are those of J.Q T. Oakey, J. B. Frith, James Fleming and John Barton, all being among the finest residences of this city. A small amount of jewelry and money was obtained at each place, $35 in cash being taken from Barton's pocket. In each instance entrance was gained by forcing a window, and it is thought chloroform was used at each of the four places in this city.

REDLANDS.

BIGGEST VOTE EVER.

REDLANDS, April 14.—The vote polled at today's election was the largest in the city's history. C. L. Hayes, J. E. Ward and B. W. Cave were elected Trustees for the full term, and F. P. Meserve for the unexpired term. L. W. Clark was elected City Clerk, J. E. Wallace, Marshal, and F. P. Morrison, City Treasurer. The fifteen freeholders elected to frame a new city charter are Ira C. Sprague, F. C. Hornby, E. G. Judson, F. P. Morrison, K. H. Field, M. W. Hill, J. W. Gore, J. W. Edwards, K. C. Wells, T. E. N. Eaton, A. V. Dike, M. M. Phinney, Dr. J. E. Payton, Hiram H. Smith and C. L. Clock.

REDLANDS BREVITIES.

The third annual grand temperance rally of the Sunday-schools of Redlands was largely attended in the Congregational Church yesterday afternoon. Rev. J. H. Williams made the address of welcome, which was followed by an illustrated talk by Mrs. Stella B. Irvine, and recitations by children.

Rev. E. E. Pinnette, who recently lost nearly all he had in his house by fire, was presented with a purse by the members of the Presbyterian Church. The Y.P.S.C.E. rented a furnished cottage for the unfortunate clergyman and paid three months' rent in advance.

Elijah Steppe, aged 32, a native of Painesville, Ky., died at the Trinity Settlement yesterday. The funeral will be held tomorrow under the direction of the local lodge of Odd Fellows.

The High School baseball players, who were defeated in Riverside Saturday, fix the blame on the umpire, Scott, claiming that he was unfair. They will seek another chance.

The Odd Fellows' Lodge of Redlands is making preparations to attend the celebration of the eighty-third anniversary in Long Beach, Saturday, the 26th inst.

The Coliseums and All Stars, crack Los Angeles bowling teams, will have a match on the new alleys here tomorrow night.

The funeral of Mrs. Fannie H. Sutton, aged 35, a native of Indiana, who died Sunday night, was held this morning.

ONTARIO.

PROHIBITION TO CONTINUE.

ONTARIO, April 14.—The liquor question was not an issue in the campaign which concluded in today's city election and it is understood that there will be no material change in the present prohibition policy. The new officers-elect are: City Trustees, Wilbur Walstein Smith and David Robert Magill; City Clerk, Jacob Jesson; City Treasurer, George B. Harding. There was a contest for the city marshalship and Albert N. Clark was elected by a majority of 179 votes. His opponent, Ralph J. Cornelius, received 93 votes. There were 279 votes cast.

ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE ELECTS OFFICERS.

MASS MEETING HELD IN SANTA ANA LAST NIGHT.

Andrew Pope Fairly on the Way to England With the Little Daughter He Abducted, Having Eluded All the Officers.

SANTA ANA, April 14.—The Orange County Anti-Saloon League was in annual session in the First Methodist Church today. The business meeting was held at 2:30 this afternoon, when reports of officers were read and approved. For president was elected James McFadden; secretary, W. H. Lewis; treasurer, C. S. Crookshank; first vice-president, W. B. Snow, all of Santa Ana; second vice-president, F. B. Reed, Fullerton; third vice-president, Rev. Eugene Barr, Anaheim; fourth vice-president, Dr. W. B. Wood, Orange; fifth vice-president, W. T. Clark, Westminster. All are men of experience in the work of the league, and make a strong corps to manage its affairs. The president, James McFadden, was held over from last year, and his nomination for the office for the coming year was attended with hearty applause.

This evening there was a mass meeting of the league in the First Methodist church, with addresses by Dr. E. S. Chapman of Los Angeles, and others.

ABDUCTOR GETS AWAY.

The Abduction by Andrew Pope of his four-year-old daughter from her mother's charge on Saturday afternoon proved successful, as Pope was clever enough to elude the officers and board an overland train Sunday morning, with his ultimate destination as England. A telegram received from Needles announced his safe arrival there on his way East. No effort was made to detain him. Papers for Pope's arrest and detention were obtained at 11 o'clock Saturday night, and he eluded the local officers in Los Angeles yesterday.

SANTA ANA BREVITIES.

In a hard fought ball game yesterday afternoon a Norwalk nine defeated the Orange county team at Norwalk, 8 to 7. A. Slabach, pitcher for the Orange county team, was injured by being hit in the back by a wild pitched ball.

Preparations are made by local cyclists for the annual road race of Orange county. A meeting will be held Wednesday evening to settle the details of the route, prizes and entry conditions.

Sycamore Rebekah Lodge gave a well-attended entertainment in the I.O. O.F hall Saturday evening. The feature was the rendition of a farce comedy, "Sir Peter and Lady Teazel."

Justice J. A. Willson has been elected a delegate to the annual convention of Confederate Veterans at Dallas, Tex., the 22d inst., and will leave Saturday.

John Ryan, who was severely cut in a bicycle accident Friday evening, has been removed to the Santa Ana Hospital, and is progressing favorably.

"Canada Sam" Reeder, Miss Evah Hull and Miss Bessie Heath, who spent the winter here, left today for their home in Edinburgh, Pa.

J. W. Northcross, aged 64, died at his home in El Modena Saturday evening. Burial services were held yesterday.

John Hague, the three-year-old son of J. L. Hague, died at the residence on East Second street yesterday.

Milwaukee mower, best machine made; at Jacobson's.

Pipe that lasts forever. A. P. Pipe Co., 836 Macy street.

ORANGE.

RESULTS OF BALLOTS.

ORANGE, April 14.—The officers chosen at today's municipal election are: City Trustees, four-year term, A. Meacham and D. F. Royer; City Trustees, two-year term, G. D. Toothacre and J. C. Williams; City Clerk, D. R. Collings; City Treasurer, W. H. H. Clayton; City Marshal, W. T. Bush.

ANAHEIM.

TOWN'S NEW OFFICERS.

ANAHEIM, April 14.—The city election today resulted in the selection of the following-named officers: City Trustees, Charles O. Rust, William Berdrow and Louis S. Fletcher; City Clerk, Edward B. Merritt, incumbent; City Marshal, N. F. Steadman, incumbent; City Treasurer, H. Cohen, incumbent.

PEOPLE TRIUMPHANT OVER CHRONIC "PUSH."

RIVERSIDE MILLER-MORSE-MILLS OUTFIT DOWNED.

Chase, Ford and Lawler Elected City Trustees, While Morse Gets Lowest Vote—Only One Mudslinger in the Campaign Just Ended.

RIVERSIDE, April 14.—The Miller-Morse-Mills outfit was raked fore and aft at the city election today, routed horse and dragoons, thrown over the fence and landed by the people in the dumphill of perpetual oblivion.

Excluding the Socialist nominees, who polled a comparatively small vote, there were five candidates for city trustees, three to be elected. The fight centered on Bradford Morse, a chronic office-seeker, who has been in the public service here since 1886. His cause was championed by Frank A. Miller, who wants additional electric-railroad franchises on his own terms. James Mills, justice of the peace, commonly referred to as "Hoch der Mills," managed Morse's campaign, and J. G. North and Judge F. F. Crowe made speeches for him. On the side, Justice Mills wrote campaign circulars, which, during the past week appeared in new form almost every day.

The combination was too much. Barring the ballots cast for the Socialist nominees, Morse polled the lowest vote of the candidates for City Trustee. The total vote in the twelve city precincts for trustee was as follows:

Chase, 1451; Ford, 1000; Lawler, 976; Masters, 666; Morse, 661. Chase received the unanimous support of the opposing factions. Ford and Lawler, the other nominees of the anti-Miller forces, ran over 300 votes ahead of Masters and Morse.

Wilson was reelected Marshal, over Schneider, by a majority of 253 votes, the total vote cast being, Wilson, 918; Schneider, 665. C. R. Stibbens was reelected Clerk without opposition. J. C. Stebbens was elected Treasurer.

Thus ends the cleanest campaign ever fought here. The only mudslinging appeared in Justice Mill's circulars, the local papers refusing to print the stuff. The voters did the rest. Things are popping in the old town tonight.

SANTA BARBARA COUNTY.

BREVITIES AND PERSONALS.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SANTA BARBARA, April 14.—The management of the bath-house has projected a spectacular opening of the season tomorrow evening, in an aquatic carnival and concert by the Santa Barbara Military Band.

For some time past residents near the Victoria-street station have been annoyed by peeping Toms after nightfall.

The son of Frank Moore, living at the foot of the mountain near the toll road, was severely burned while smoking bees. He had a veil over his face, which caught fire and spread to his clothing. With the help of a companion, the fire was extinguished, but not until the boy had suffered much. The same boy had a narrow escape from death a few weeks ago in falling from a horse, which rendered him unconscious for days.

Charles Woodbridge is suffering from softening of the brain, and has reached a critical stage, when his death may be expected at any time. W. H. Woodbridge, lies in an unconscious state, the result of a third stroke of paralysis, with little chance of rallying.

Harlow Frink and Charles McDuffy have gone to the Ojai Valley to take part in the tennis tournament. They represent the collegiate and High schools.

At the meeting on Saturday of the Santa Barbara Natural History Society the following general committees were assigned to the several sections: J. B. Hardy, Conchology; Prof. Dodge, Mineralogy and geology; Walter A. Hawley, History; Mrs. Holden, Botany; F. M. Gallagher, Forestry; Mrs. Wingate, Entomology; A. P. Redington, Ornithology, and Dr. Sidebotham, Biology.

Mrs. William Rees, Mrs. Marie Taylor and Miss Sallie Plum have gone to the Herner Rancho, on the Santa Ynez River.

G. M. Boyd of San Francisco is at the Arlington.

LOMPOC.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

LOMPOC, April 14.—The Pacific Milling Company has received a report of the surveys taken by expert engineers to determine the cost of building an irrigation system which will bring the river water from the Narrows and distribute it over the valley. The report is so favorable that the company stands ready to construct the ditch upon the assurance from the farmers that the water will be paid for.

Residents of Lompoc and vicinity are interested in the opportunity offered by the Southern Pacific Railroad Company to advertise this section abroad. The attractive folders published by the company will be mailed without charge to any addresses given the town clerk, G. W. Meals.

Lompoc and Santa Maria are included in the territory which the Central Coast Counties Association propose to advertise for the purpose of attracting settlers, and it is hoped that a fuller knowledge of the many resources of the northern portion of Santa Barbara county will attract outside capital to this section.

Mrs. Henry Robinson, who has been under treatment in a San Francisco hospital for six weeks, will soon return.

While riding her bicycle last Friday afternoon a sudden and violent gust of Lompoc ozone caused Miss Clara Miller to lose control of her machine, and she fell, sustaining numerous bruises.

Mrs. R. R. Bennett, who resides in Vallejo, is visiting friends in Lompoc.

The rural delivery system is proving a success, and the people served are well pleased with the advantages of the daily delivery of mail at their homes. This section is well favored in mail service, there being two mails received from the north and two from the south daily.

BAKERSFIELD.

STRICKEN WHILE PRAYING.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BAKERSFIELD, April 14.—Mrs. Sarah Daugherty, a pioneer of this county, died Saturday of paralysis at her home in Randsburg. The remains were brought to this city this morning, and taken to Lynns Valley this evening for interment. Mrs. Daugherty was stricken with paralysis while offering up a prayer at a prayer meeting held at her home shortly before her death. She leaves two sons and three daughters, who are well known throughout this section of the country.

KERN CITY.

SMOOTH ELECTION.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

KERN CITY, April 14.—Today's election went off smoothly, the principal fight being for Marshal, for which four candidates were running. There were seven candidates in the race for Trustees, three being elected. J. F. Dugan for Treasurer and A. J. Woody for Clerk, had no opposition. Following are the results: Marshal, H. Farris; Treasurer, J. F. Dugan; Clerk, A. J. Woody; Trustees, James Curran, D. W. Tolar and C. V. Morrison.

SIMI.

NEWS NOTES.

[CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SIMI, April 14.—The third quarterly conference of the Simi circuit was held at the home of A. D. Davis, conducted by Rev. Dr. C. R. Pattee of Los Angeles, who officiated on behalf of Presiding Elder J. B. Green.

A number of prominent Southern Pacific officials passed through Chatsworth Park and Santa Susana inspecting the roadbed and gathering data for additional improvements.

The Presbyterian Church has elected Mr. Skellinger ruling elder.

Miss Alice R. Smith has been appointed census marshal for Simi school district.

SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY.

SPIRITED ELECTION YESTERDAY.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SAN LUIS OBISPO, April 14.—The city election today was spirited. Judson Rice, E. Fleugler, J. E. Vanschay and J. Crocker were elected City Trustees. The other officers elected were: W. G. Johnston, City Marshal; G. W. Robbins, City Clerk; J. E. Lewis, City Treasurer.

PASO ROBLES.

VOICE OF THE BALLOTS.

PASO ROBLES, April 14.—The officers chosen at the city election today are: City Trustees, W. O. Dresser and A. Brendlin; B. L. B. Pierce, City Marshal; L. E. Williams, City Clerk; E. M. Bennett, City Treasurer.

The Evolution of the Soda Fountain.

The rapid increase in the trade enjoyed by the proprietors of soda fountains in the leading cities of the United States has led to the installation of many very elaborate and costly outfits. Most of the finer ones are made of Mexican onyx and cost in some instances as high as $15,000 or $20,000. A $15,000 soda fountain would be made of the finest material and would be of great size. It might have thirty draft tubes and 100 syrup cans. Very beautiful onyx fountains of the dimensions more commonly used, say, with ten syrups and three draft tubes, can be bought for from $850 to $1200. In fact, a handsome onyx fountain can be bought for $600. But not everybody wants an onyx fountain. There are yet purchasers who prefer one of marble. A marble fountain with onyx trimmings could be had at, say, $450. An old-style marble fountain might be had for $150.

Fifty years ago or thereabouts soda water was drawn from a silver tube rising out of the counter. Then came the first visible soda fountains, small marble boxes, placed on the counter. From these developed the elaborate and often costly fountains of marble that preceded the onyx fountains of the present. Beautiful and costly marble was brought from all parts of the earth to be used in the construction of soda fountains, but now the fashion is onyx, with a canopy or superstructure of wood. Along with its great development in beauty has come a corresponding improvement in the soda fountain's working parts. The modern fountain is far more convenient and efficient in operation than its old-time predecessor.—[American Exporter.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

MONDAY, April 14, 1902.

John H Jones and Carrie M Jones to V Ponet, lot 1, Jones & Ponet block, $5.

Lester J Burt and Lillie H Burt to Mrs Margaret Price, lot 46 and part lot 47, Cottage Home tract, $10.

Emily S Whiting and Dwight Whiting to Emeline Childs, part block 60, South Arlington, $9000.

F B Jennings and Lila H Jennings to A L Park, part lot 146, American Colony tract, $1000.

A L Park to Margaret J Mills, same, $2000.

A J Garfield, Mabel O Garfield, Lola C Abbott and C H Abbott to Elbert E Llewellyn, lot 1, Dover tract, $10.

James Oakley and Frank Oakley to John Sidebotham, lot 14, block 6, George Dalton, Sr, tract, $1072.75.

Mary O Tyler to Alden W Skinner, lot 15 and part lot 16, block 1, Wilshire Boulevard tract, $10.

Florence M Austin and William H Austin to L P Hanscom, lot 29, block 133, Long Beach, $1500.

Same to same, lots 18 and 19, block 133, Long Beach, $3500.

C Louise Henderson and Henry Henderson to Thomas O'Neill, lot 30 and part lot 31, Miller & Herriott's subdivision, $10.

Union Trust and Realty Company to Mary Quimby, reconveyance of part lots 2 and 3, block A, Menlo Park.

Mary Quimby and S M Quimby to Robert Davidson and Annie Davidson, part lots 2 and 3, block A, Menlo Park, $2500.

Simon J Murphy and Ann M Murphy to East Whittier Land and Water Company, right-of-way for conduit or ditch for water across part Rancho Paso de Bartolo, $1.

A W Rhodes and E May Rhodes to Etta Johnson, part lots 19 and 20, block 54, Huber tract, $10.

W O Dunham to G T Smith, lots 3, 4, 5 and 6, block 1, Highland View tract, $10.

Louis Kleinpeter and Elizabeth Kleinpeter to Henry Schmidbauer and Anna Schmidbauer, part lot 16, Fletcher tract, $10.

Los Angeles Transfer Company (a corporation) to Elias Hansen, lot 12, H C Thomas tract, $550.

Joseph Burkhard and Flora Burkhard to Robert Hale, part lot 8, all lots 9, 10 and 11, Reyes Vineyard tract, $10.

Lily Tubman and William Tubman to Susan Richards, part section 9, 2 S 13, $7250.

Susan Richards to R Henry C Green, same, $2200.

Benjamin F Coulter to Melissa L Gates, lots 12 and 14, block 110, American Colony tract, $10,000.

Coulter Dry Goods Company to Melissa L Gates, same.

E T Byram and H M Byram to Sarah L Gamble Guterson, lot 4, Axford & Lundreth subdivision, $1075.

Abiram E McConnell and Sarah A McConnell to George G Force, lot 22 and part lot 21, block T, West Los Angeles, $10.

Helen Lukens Jones to George S Baldwin, part lot 4, El Molino tract, $10.

George S Baldwin and Ellen M Baldwin to Helen Lukens Jones, lot 10, Carlisle Heights, $10.

Hugh Glassell and Andrew Glassell, executors of estate of Andrew Glassell, deceased, to Thomas J Hampton, lots 226, 228 and 240, Wicks subdivision, part Germain tract, etc, $900.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to Minnie Trll McFarland, reconveyance of trust property.

J J Young to E P Carr, lot 12, J J Young's subdivision, $600.

George H Peck, Jr, and Olive M Peck to John V B Goodrich, lot 11, Peck's subdivision of block 74, San Pedro, $2500.

Phebe A Allen and Charles Allen to George P Allen, lot 5, C W Smith's subdivision, $5.

H W O'Melveny to Ruderika F S de Dodson, lot 11, block 9, Park tract, $1.

Nellie F Bowen and L L Bowen to Margaryt O Dean, part lot 3, Tecklenborg's subdivision, $10.

Mrs Mary A Thomas and Matthew H Thomas to A Mojonier, lot 5, block 103, Long Beach, $1500.

I H Preston, trustee, to Miss C M Moore, part lots 19 and 20, Park Bluff, $250.

Edward P Carr to Phillip J Ginser, lot 64, Wiesendanger City tract, $10.

P J Ginser, known as Philip J Ginser, and Amelia Ginser, to Edward P Carr, lot 31, block 1, Wright's subdivision, $10.

Leotie R Carr and David Carr to Nettie Proctor, part section 3, 1 N 14, $10.

Mrs Nettie Proctor and Alfred A Proctor to Ray Williams, part section 3, 1 N 14, $10.

Elliott M Wakeman and Bernie G Wakeman to George D Hutchison, lot 32, Flash's Main-street subdivision; lot 24, A C Shafer's resubdivision, $2000.

A D Horsterman and Lizzie G Horsterman to Emerson de Puy, part lot 26, Lick tract, $1.

Gustav Herman and Bertha Herman to Z Leonide Ducommun, lot on north line of Commercial street, east of Main street, $10.

M J Tier and Maria Tier to Melissa L Gates, lot 7, as per plat in part lot 4, R 15, Alhambra addition tract, $10.

J C Hiatt and Esther Hiatt to Whittier Monthly Meeting of Friends' Church, part block 15, Whittier, $1150.

Victor Ponet and Ellen J Ponet to John H Jones, lot 2, Jones & Ponet block, $5.

L R Kelsey, Mary C Kelsey, I A Kelsey, Angie B Kelsey, Bertie Decker, Mary M Decker, Zetta Bubb, Harry W Bubb and Sherman H Kelsey to W A Kelsey, lot 25, Smith's addition to Whittier, $1.

In re guardianship of Gladys V Felt, a minor, order confirming sale to W R Lowry part lots 26, 27 and 28, block A, C T Adams resubdivision.

Eugene Walker to Estella C Walker, lot 10, block 2, Greenwell tract, $450.

James A Montgomery and Annie F (or T) Montgomery to Mrs Lotta Bower Grierson, lot 10, block B, Bonnie Brae tract, $2500.

J W Hinton and Lulu N Hinton to Emma E Little, lot 37, Clark & Eyran's Lone Star tract, $800.

Frank Henriot to Martha Boulwer, lots 1 to 10, 12 to 20, and 11B in block A, F Henriot's subdivision, $3000.

Thomas W Brown and O F Brown to Mrs B Fall, lots 26 and 21, block 4, Ames first subdivision, $250.

Hugh Glassell and Andrew Glassell, as executors of estate of Andrew Glassell, deceased, vs Anna D Dumbell, executrix of estate of George W Dumbell, Jr, deceased; decree quieting title in plaintiff part section 10, 1 N 14.

Seaside Water Company and Broadway Bank and Trust Company, trustee, to Thomas Wall, lots 23, 24, 25 and 26, block 137, Long Beach, $1200.

Said trustee joins to release from mortgage 740-206, trust deed 1494-21, and chattel mortgage 91-245.

James Henry McMullen and Lou G McMullen to William Walter McMullen and John Edward Gamble, one-fourth each, undivided two-thirds interest in block 230, Pomona tract, $10.

Florence J House, heir of R F House, deceased, to David Kuns, lot 22, block 54; lot 22, block 76; lot 20, block 77, Lordsburg, $10.

W C Doughty and Mrs Grace Doughty to David Kuns, lots 8 and 9, block 96, Lordsburg, $40.

Casper F Hosfelt and Maria Hosfelt to David Kuns, lots 6 and 7, block 58, Lordsburg, $10.

G A Gibbs and F C Bolt, executors of estate of John W Hugus, deceased, to David Kuns; lots 19 and 22, block 54; lot 24, block 60; lots 22, 41 and 42, block 76; lots 19 and 20, block 77; lot 17, block 94; lots 20, 25 to 29, block 94; lots 35, 39, 41 and 42, block 95; lots 1 and 2, block 96; lot 22, block 54; lot 19, block 54; lots 1 and 2, block 96, Lordsburg, $252.

Lordsburg Land Company to David Kuns, lot 24, block 60; lots 22, 41 and 42, block 76; lots 19 and 20, block 77; lots 17, 20 and 25 to 29, block 94; lots 38, 39, 41 and 42, block 95, Lordsburg; lot 22, block 54; lot 19, block 54, and part of alley adjoining; lots 1 and 2, and part of alley adjoining.

State to William R Staats Company and E C Webster, certificate of redemption lot 13, Webster & Stratton's subdivision.

Anna M Smith to Ferdinand H Hauck, part lot 12, El Molino tract, $3500.

Jennie Baker to Fred W Baker, lot 19, block A, Shafer & Lanterman's subdivision, $10.

Fred W Baker to Dora A Todd, lot 19, block A, Shafer & Lanterman's subdivision, $10.

Ella T Byram, Huldah M Byram, Eva B Banker and J M Banker to Silas W Lyman, lots 27, 28 and 29, block 2, Glendale, $500.

F A Urban and A C Urban to V J Welcome, lots 13 and 14, block 213, Inglewood, $1.

William W Baldwin and Edwin C Baldwin, executors of estate of Mary B Kirkland, also known as Mary A Baldwin Kirkland, to Ernest Tappe, lot 5, block 52, Pomona, $1150.

Tony Millovich and Rosa Millovich to each other, et create a joint tenancy part lot 20, block B, Rivara & Vignolo tract, love and affection.

Haidee L Martin and W E R Martin to Eugene Walker, lot 10, block 2, Greenwell tract, $10.

L R Tousley, trustee, to Gilbert P Drew, lot 14, block D, Mount Lookout tract, $1.

James D Collins and Anita Collins to Albert H Calkins, part lot 14, block 3, South Santa Monica, $10.

M E Frame and J A Frame to Walter S Humphry, lot 5, block 2, Strong & Dickinson's subdivision No 2, $10.

Rosedale Cemetery Association to Miss C N Broughton, part lot 90, section H, Rosedale Cemetery.

Rosedale Cemetery Association to same, agreement to care for same.

Los Angeles Building and Loan Association to John W Ray, lot 24, block B, Elliott's Ninth-street tract, $10.

William McDonald and Mary McDonald to Mamie S Plant, lot 13, block F, New Fair Oaks-avenue tract.

John L Dougherty, Mary O Dougherty, C J Flatt and J M Dawson to drs Idonia Jones (formerly McLain,) part section 1, 1 S 10, $1.

James Loenidas McLain and L D McLain to Lemuel Dawson McLain, all interest in estate of Thomas McLain, deceased.

Fannie C Thompson to S S Mills, part lot 6, Slawson tract, $2800.

Idonia McLain Jones, Benjamin S Jones, Mrs Sallie D Feazel, William A Feazel, L Dawson McLain (same as L D.) Thomas C McLain (same as T C.) Mrs Eugenia McLain Flourney, Thomas E Flourney (same as T E.) Cornelius M Goodwin (same as C N.) Lillian Goodwin, William B McLain (same as W B.) Mary L. Bennett (same as Mrs M L.) Guzzie Files, Osce Goodwin, Rosa Goodwin, Hazeltine Wimbish, John Wimbish, Nicholas Fristoe, S E Fristoe, Mrs America Calvin, Jessie (Jessy) McLain, Miss Mary McLain, Mrs Sarah A Richards (same as S A.) Mrs Hattie M Simonton, Leon H Simonton, Lafayette Goodwin (same as J L.) Irene Goodwin (same as Irene B.) Mrs Cornelia Gahagan to W G Hall, in the Alamo part section 1, 1 S 10, $6500.

Clara I Dosch Meyer, formerly Clara I Dosch, to H C Fiske, Jr, undivided one-half lots 103, 104 and 105, Wicks subdivision of Garbolina, Cooper, South & Potter tracts, $10.

L N Breed vs city of Los Angeles, decree quieting title in plaintiff lots 22 and 24, block 1, Homestead tract.

Pacific Land Company vs Charles J Ekholm and Hannah Ekholm, lots 4 and 5, block 30, Gillis subdivision, $400.

E L Leonard to George Furtach, lot 18, block B, Estella tract, $30.

F W A Off and Blanche B Off to Stephen W Dorsey, part lot 1, block 22, Hancock's survey, $1.

G A Gibbs and F C Bolt, executors of estate of John W Hugus, deceased, to Henry Eda, lots 15, 16 and 17, Mullins tract, $2100.

Frank Hand and May Manly to J M Worrall, lot 14, block 1, subdivision of part lots 3 and 6, block 40, City Donation lots, $550.

S O Bowen and Abbie L Bowen to Eunice E Wolfe, part lot 3, Thomas & Galbraith's subdivision, $300.

Adon D Crosby and Elmira D Crosby to Emma R Carr and David Carr to Nettie Proctor, part section 3, 1 N 14, $10.

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My RHEUMATISM CURE is just as certain to cure rheumatism as water is to quench thirst. No matter what part of the body the pain may be in or whether it is acute or chronic, MUNYON'S RHEUMATISM CURE will drive it out in a few hours, and fully cure in a few days.—MUNYON.

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BURGLAR CAPTURED.

A hobo who gave the name of Frank Hoffman, was arrested at 1 o'clock this morning on San Fernando street near River Station on a charge of burglary. On his person was found a silver watch which a few minutes before had been stolen from the room of Ferd Boni in a lodging-house at No. 143½ San Fernando street. Hoffman is known to have had a partner, and the police are now looking for him.

METEORITE IN THE WAY.

Government Orders Cannot Be Carried Out Because of Lieut. Peary's Valuable Find.

[New York Herald:] Rear-Admiral Baker, who is in charge of the Brooklyn Navy Yard, has an elephant which he would like to sell, give away or lose. Suggestions and bids are invited.

Admiral Barker not only has orders, but also an appropriation to build a new slip into the Cob dock. Exactly where the slip is ordered stands the big meteorite, or siderite, which Lieut. Peary found in Greenland and brought here for the American Museum of Natural History, at the expense of Morris K. Jessup. Lieut. Peary says the siderite weighs 100 tons. Nansen, in his work on Arctic exploration, says it weighs ninety tons. Dr. Henry A. Ward, an expert on meteorites, says it weighs fifty tons. Dr. Edmund O. Hovey, associate in geology of the American Museum of Natural History and editor of the American Museum Journal, estimates it weighs forty tons.

Whatever it weighs, it took the biggest pair of shears in the world to lift it out of Peary's vessel and plant it on the Cob dock. As the shears do not travel on wheels, they, or it, cannot be utilised to transfer the lump of iron to the American Museum. Admiral Barker says he asked Mr. Jessup to take the thing away. Mr. Jessup says the meteorite would smash the streets if a truck to cart it actually could be found. As a matter of fact, he says, the Cob dock is an island without a bridge, so the thing could not be trucked anyway. He adds that, as the navy people took his show piece from the vessel and put it where he cannot get at it, it is the admiral's duty to remove it. Mr. Jessup denies the report in circulation at the navy yard that he offers $10,000 to any one who will remove the siderite to the American Museum.

Although the government has ordered the slip to be built and the meteorite to be removed, this is one time when orders are not being obeyed. Lieut. Peary can perhaps be made to take the thing back to Greenland where he got it—if he ever returns. It will not do to roll the siderite into the East River, as it would obstruct the opening of the proposed slip. At present the only course that seems open to the officials is to take the meteorite out to sea and lose it.

Peary's meteorite is a siderite (siderous iron.) Its shape is something like a sofa. Being the largest siderite in the world, it is the most coveted by museums of all the world's meteorites, of which the British, Berlin and American museums possess the largest known numbers, or some 150 "finds and falls" each, and are constantly scraping the whole earth to get an advantage of each other. The Peary meteorite, therefore, if removed to the American Museum, would place that institution beyond rivalry, perhaps forever, as it would have the world's prided siderite.

SHEEP LOSSES NOT LARGE.

MILES CITY (Mont.) April 15.—The annual meeting of the Eastern Montana Wool Growers' Association convened here today with many of the prominent stockmen of the State in attendance. Range men declare that the sheep losses as a result of the recent storm will not exceed 5 per cent.

Dr. Harrison & Co.

Cure

Treat Men Only.

Varicocele, Hydrocele, Stricture, Piles, Fistula, Blood Diseases, Private Diseases, Loss of Vital Power, Kidney and Bladder Troubles.

WEAKNESS.

THERE IS NO SUCH CONDITION AS ORGANIC "WEAKNESS" in a man who is strong and robust, and if the following facts are considered the uselessness of treating it as such will be apparent.

Anatomy and Physiology teach us that the Prostate gland (at the neck of the bladder,) is the very center of the reproductive system in the male, and that any organ invariably causes disordered function of that organ and all parts related to the organs inflamed arise. It should be apparent that the Prostate Gland, when weakened by long-continued and too often repeated excitement or the harmful habit of self-abuse, or by an ill-treated contracted disorder, that disordered function must follow. The symptoms of the Prostate, by these factors, is so long kept up that it finally establishes itself as a chronic affection, and a catarrhal condition of the ejaculatory ducts soon establishes itself. The first symptoms pointing to this prostate disorder are a weakness to the reproductive system. It is first noticed that patients suffering from this trouble are embarrassed by "Too Quickness." This is invariably followed by nervousness affected; by all those symptoms known as "weakness."

The greater number of patients suffering from this "weakness" are married men in every other respect; men who possibly have been treated with mercury, etc., for a weakness, which, if the above has been made clear, will be seen to have existed. Some years ago we called the attention of the medical profession and others to the fact that the above well-defined disorders were not venereal symptoms, results of inflammation, and that stomach drugging could not cure. Local measures directed toward repairing the damage always proved successful, and immediately by increased circulation and renewed strength. The adoption of this treatment by the profession is proof of its correctness. Colored chart of male organs sent sealed in plain wrapper free on application.

I CAN CUR EEVERY CASE OF VARICOCELE

Varicocele is an enlargement of the most vital blood vessels in the body. The office of these veins is to carry off waste, thus enabling the organs to receive pure blood. The disease consists of a dilation and local stagnation of blood in the veins, whereby the organs are deprived of their proper quantity and quality of nourishment, the result being first small, soft and sometimes quite insensitive organs, which gradually lose the power of their secretion. Varicocele is a very common disorder. Statistics show that 40 per cent. of the male population are afflicted with some stage of the disease. I emphatically guarantee to cure varicocele in one week at our office, or no charge for treatment. We have cured over 3000 cases, without a single failure. Our method is the result. We mean by a re-establishment of nutrition and the lost power restored. We have shown this result so often, and can refer to so many cases of this statement, that we make it without hesitation or reserve. We solicit correspondence and the fullest investigation of our methods.

STRICTURE.

The first essential in the treatment of these cases is to locate the stricture, determine its nature, and to ascertain if there are superficial obstructions. Our OZO-CHEMIC application will remove and cure in fifteen days by absorption, the normal formation; this is done without detention from business and without pain or cutting.

CONTRACTED DISORDERS

Include specific blood poison, urethral inflammation, stricture, chronic inflammation and swellings. I have often warned patients against unreliable quacks. This is the most important class of disorders. The cheapest and best way is to consult a genuine, able specialist who has the ability and experience necessary to diagnose your case exactly the right thing at the right time. I have upset many cases by not doing work and when I take a case in hand I charge a reasonable fee for my services, furnish necessary medicine free, treat the case personally, and guarantee a permanent cure. Don't rest on removing every particle of disease, both constitutionally and locally, before the patient is discharged.

INTERFERENCE with the process of waste and repair is the cause of all the underlying men's chronic ailments. To cause a cessation of this interference and put men in a most healthy condition and restore lost vital force, is the most essential to the permanent health of men.

SYMPTOMS must be studied, analyzed and compared, and is a very important part of the SPECIALIST'S work, long experience with all the various compl

Angeles County: Cities and Suburban Places.

[NEWS REPORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

PASADENA'S CITY ELECTION.

ELEMENT SCORES A GREAT VICTORY.

Chief of Police Gets His Report—Experts Approve Bond Issue—Lost and Found—Safes Opened.

PASADENA, Office of The Times, corner Raymond avenue, April 14.—Pasadena had a city election today which passed off very quietly and to the satisfaction of all candidates, if not to those defeated in their aspirations. It was a victory for the decent element of the city, the smoke was lifted and votes were drawn an "election was held, and there was a good one.

The trustees elected are Orrin Short, 1,100 votes; Walker Jones, 95; Dr. Hall, 80; John H. Jacobs, 1,100, and Frank Stokes, also 1,100, respectively 56, 23 and 20. Jones had withdrawn from the ticket prior to election, though his name remained as a candidate.

City Clerk Bailey had no opposition in the race for City Clerk, and received 1,100 votes. Harriet D. Hill was chosen Justice of the Peace, receiving 43 votes. Police Judge Allen was reelected, City Marshal Hutton, receiving 102 votes. Constable Smith will have been five candidates for the office of trustees, but only Rev. A. Wallace Brown, John Woodbridge, Rev. Dr. Gardner and Merton E. Keith were voted for, receiving respectively, 92, 91, 91 and 91 votes. One scattering vote was cast for Dr. J. H. McCollum, Dr. Langley and John Sharp.

CHIEF'S SALARY PAID.

The Board of Commissioners yesterday allowed the Chief of Police his salary for March, rescinding their action in docking him ten days' pay at the time he took to bring Officers Powell and Smith from Los Angeles. The Mayor addressed a letter to the board, reviewing the case and giving his recommendation that the full pay be allowed. The Mayor of the prisoners was released, and is undoubtedly under the influence by each member of the board, but their return at no time before this board. Officer Powell employed by the Chief of Police, absenting himself, which is a violation of the police department rules, which was, in the opinion of the board, unnecessary, and was not a violation of the letter and spirit of the rule.

Officer Smith, alert and incorruptible, was invaluable. The protection of life and property of the citizens is a sacred trust. Dignity, promptness and the quality of discretion combined with a full knowledge of the provisions of the municipal code and the prerequisites of a police officer, particularly so in the case of an officer of the municipality, involving duties to be performed frequently leads to violent resistance and consequent injury to the officer, and every energy should be put to fulfill the obligations of the office, resting upon us all, to perform things not strictly within the line of duty, or fully understood, in individuals and as a whole, to be best able to promote the public welfare."

The action by Judge Weed was endorsed "that, in view of the fact presented by the Mayor, it is the sense of this commission that Officer Powell is not entitled to any compensation from the State for the time he was delayed in arresting prisoners in the State, said Chief of Police be and he first obtained a leave of absence from this commission for a period of time, and this commission will not allow any assumption that he is entitled to be paid by the State, but that he be paid from his demand for the month of March one-third of his monthly demand; therefore, that he be paid the one-third, $27.78, and that he be added to the amount of his demand for the commission at the rate of $27, thus making the amount of his demand for the month $83.34."

ALL RIGHT.

Attorney Monaghan received a telegram this afternoon from Messrs. Graham & Hubbard, in the matter of details of sale to the Pasadena Land & Water Company, which the Auditing Board referred to the attorneys. The telegram simply that the matter was all right, and that the papers would be signed by letter. The matter of dealing with President Gates of the contracting bank, as to the bonds are to be delivered, whether they are to be sent by express or to the bank's correspondent in New York. President Gates will make this known to-day, and the final adjustment is expected that the City Council at its regular meeting tonight.

BOWLING ALLEYS.

A new bowling alleys will be opened to the public yesterday afternoon at 14 East Colorado street. There are two first-class alleys. Manager W. H. Hoffman says railway was accidentally started the first time it was four-back, but on this occasion, and both balls at No. 8 in the proper place to strike the pins, doesn't count much for anything on the program was a match between Gibbings and Canfield and Gibbings won by 19 points. There are three places in town, where one can hear pins drop.

BONDS FOUND.

Mr. Perry of Chicago, a guest at the Hotel, lost her purse with a number of diamonds, valued at $100, to her by the late Mrs. Hurley was on the Oaks avenue/when she got off and she did not discover her loss until uptown. She returned to the police, and the purse was prospected over for rubies, with no success, a banker from Chicago, sometime picked up the purse and left a business card in it, which left the purse with Dr. Macomber in the hope of the Raymond that the lost valuables, and they were restored to their owner.

PASADENA BREVITIES.

The Citizens' Water Company, in connection with Adam's Bros., struck a stratum of the stuff in their well at a depth of 225 feet, and rises 85 feet in the well. The Alhambra are very much interested in the Alhambra been old son of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Ayers, occurred at the home on North Pasadena avenue yesterday of pneumonia. The funeral will be held at the Seventh Day Adventist Church on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

It was just a year ago that the Raymond Hotel contracts for building were signed up. Gen. Wentworth, the manager, estimates that $200,000 worth of business has been transacted with the tourists during the season now closing.

The annual meeting of the West Side Water Company was scheduled for yesterday afternoon, but as no quorum was present, no meeting was held. The present directors will therefore hold office another year.

Fred R. Fuller, for a year and a half local manager of the telephone company, has resigned. Last Saturday evening his employés gave him a party and presented him with a clock.

Irving M. Ballard, a former resident, arrived yesterday from Holcomb Valley, where he is successfully engaged in mining.

Mrs. George W. Childs will leave for her eastern home today after spending the winter on South Orange Grove avenue.

Mrs. E. L. Farris has gone to Long Beach for a stay.

SIERRA MADRE.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

SIERRA MADRE, April 14.—Mr. and Mrs. Hunt and child, from Kansas, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stoneham.

George Sinsabaugh has gone to San Francisco for two weeks.

Mrs. Andrew of Rockford, Ill., is visiting her cousin, R. N. Hilton and family.

The Sierra Madre Dramatic Club will render the farces, "Poor Pillicoddy" and "Lend Me Five Shillings," at the Town Hall Saturday evening.

Prof. Homer Earl of Stanford University was the guest of Mrs. M. C. Graham and Mrs. J. D. Hooker Saturday evening.

Robert Gibson of Los Angeles made the round trip to Wilson's Peak over the old track Sunday.

Miss Lulu Bixby is visiting friends in Riverside.

Mrs. Mary E. Barker will leave for the East soon.

Prof. E. T. Pierce and wife of the State Normal School, are enjoying a week's stay at their Sierra Madre residence.

Mrs. Fannie Brown and Andrew Brown and family, who have been here for six months, have removed to Los Angeles.

Rev. Mr. Wheat, formerly of San Francisco, preached at the Congregational Church Sunday.

N. H. Hosmer will leave Tuesday morning for the Carter Mountains, on the desert, where he has mining interests.

Mrs. Charles Rich has been chosen a delegate from the Congregational Sunday-school to the convention of Sunday-schools in Pasadena this week.

POMONA.

ATTRACTIVE SOUVENIR.

POMONA, April 14.—The Pomona souvenir folder, for the issuance of which money was raised by a committee from the Board of Trade, has just come from the printers and is an attractive exponent of the beauties and environs of this city. The folder is bound in an embossed cover bearing the words "Pomona Souvenir, Greeting, 1902," and contains many fine half-tone pictures, including a panoramic view of Pomona Valley. Brief, authoritative facts concerning the city, are printed in the front and back of the pamphlet. The committee, Messrs. Bichowsky, Messenger, Lee, Lathrop and Raynes, are deserving of much credit.

TOOL THIEF SENTENCED.

William Owens was arrested today charged with stealing valuable tools from I. C. Carter, superintendent of the Pomona Gas Company. The tools were found by a deputy Constable at Sandoz winery, where they had been exchanged for "wet goods." Owens admitted his guilt and was sentenced to six months in the County jail.

POMONA BREVITIES.

Michael Zorne, father of Mrs. L. A. Downing, died at his daughter's home, corner First street and Myrtle avenue on Saturday night at the age of 63 years. The remains were taken to Santa Fé Springs for interment.

T. J. Dowling, veteran transfer man, started today for Watsonville with a carload of household goods, wagons and five horses. He will make his home at Watsonville, engaging in the transfer business.

SANTA CATALINA ISLAND.

AVALON'S IMPROVEMENT ERA.

AVALON, April 14.—A walk about town would give anyone the impression that the Mayor and Common Council of Avalon had "got a move on." The first indication is the number of workmen digging up the streets and laying water pipe. More than a mile of six-inch cast-iron pipe for water mains, leading from the pumping station, is being laid. The two big tanks are shortly to be moved to the top of the high hill back of Hotel Metropole, and the big pipe is already laid to the hilltop, 148 feet above the main street. A number of additional fire-plugs are also being put in. With a gravity fall of 148 feet, no engine is required to throw a stream of water over the highest building in town.

The next thing to attract attention is the sixty electric light poles set up on the campus and streets.

The canals for carrying away the storm water, which were partially destroyed by the big rain of February, have been opened and repaired, and lastly, to the great joy of some of the residents of the west end, the solid rock down the beach beyond the aquarium is being excavated for a new site for the salt-water pumping station, which is to be removed.

ISLAND BREVITIES.

S. L. Graves of Milwaukee, general passenger agent of the Great Northern Railway, and his wife are at the Grand View.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Daniels of Denver are guests at Hotel Metropole. Mr. Daniels is one of the largest dry goods dealers of the Middle West.

Maj. Cyrus Willard, for many years a large contractor of Los Angeles, now a resident of San Gabriel, will spend a week here for the benefit of his health.

J. B. Hamilton of Los Angeles, an artist, and his sister-in-law, Miss Brodie, of Des Moines, Iowa, spent Sunday here.

Col. John E. Stearns came over to spend Sunday and have a day's fishing.

G. D. Bonbright and family, his father-in-law, James C. Hart of Rochester, with Mrs. Hart and Mrs. R. P. Bartlett and family of Colorado Springs left for home this morning, after a month and a half at Hotel Metropole.

John J. Swoboda, a retired merchant of Chicago, who with his wife has been at the Metropole since the holidays, left this morning for the north, via Yosemite.

M. J. Eagal, a wholesale grocer of Davenport, Iowa, who with his wife has been at the Metropole for six weeks, left for home this morning.

W. D. Hubbard of Hartford, Ct., yesterday out with the Magic Isle, caught one yellowtail and three barracuda.

Mrs. B. Strauss and Mr. and Mrs. A. Wagner were Sunday visitors to the island yesterday.

Gen. New and wife and Gen. Barrett and wife, who have been at Hotel Metropole for a week, the gentlemen arranging for the installation of the wireless telegraph plant, meantime, went over to Los Angeles this morning, where Gen. New will met his chief engineer, and having arranged for the shipment of that portion of the plant which belongs at this end of the line, will return here in a day or two.

GLENDALE.

SPLENDID WELL.

GLENDALE, April 14.—The new well is proving a splendid producer, over twenty-five inches of water being now pumped, while the capacity is believed to be not less than fifty inches. The well is 325 feet deep. Heretofore the water supply has been insufficient, and this increase means much to the town and vicinity. The population has been increasing rapidly, and a large acreage of oranges and berries has been set. Building is active here. Several carloads of oranges and lemons are shipped daily.

SANTA MONICA.

ONE-YEAR OFFICERS.

SANTA MONICA, April 14.—Today's battle of the ballots resulted in the selection of one City Trustee from the North Side and one from the South Side. In the four-cornered treasurership fight, H. W. Boehme, incumbent, won by a narrow majority over G. D. Snyder of the South Side. On the city clerkship the figures were close, and that J. C. Hemingway won is probably due to the fact that he has served in several official capacities, which have brought him into personal contact with nearly everybody in town.

There were two precincts, Strand street being the dividing line. The vote by precincts was:

	North side.	South side.	Total.
For City Trustees—			
W. S. Vawter	233	182	395
J. C. Steele	236	114	350
A. Mooser	216	75	291
W. L. Muller	60	9	69
For City Treasurer—			
Eugene W. Boehme	213	38	251
C. D. Middlekauff	75	14	89
G. D. Snyder	98	134	232
B. Sues	39	7	46
For City Clerk—			
J. C. Hemingway	225	97	322
J. B. Procter	200	91	291
For City Marshal—			
M. K. Barretto	303	135	438
J. J. Carrillo	139	60	199

The officers elected today will serve for only one year. The electors of the municipality several months ago voted to transfer the town into a city of the fifth class. The present sixth-class form of government will continue in effect till one year from now, when fifth-class officers will be elected and will take charge of the municipality under the new class.

It is understood that the new Board of City Trustees will make no great change in the present liquor ordinance, which does not permit saloons, but which embraces hotel and restaurant privileges under liberal conditions.

HARRY GOODWIN ILL.

Harry Goodwin, formerly of the Bank of Santa Monica, is reported as in a precarious condition in San Francisco on account of appendicitis, for which he has undergone an operation.

WHITTIER.

CITIZENS' TICKET WINS.

WHITTIER, April 14.—The Citizens' ticket was successful at today's city election. For City Trustees the men elected are Horace C. Baldwin, who received 235 votes, and A. C. Maple, who received 231 votes. Their opponents were James D. Knox, who received 191 votes, and J. H. Linkletter, who received 206 votes. For City Clerk, Walter E. Butler received 294 votes over Everett Frasier, 135 votes. John H. Coverly was elected City Treasurer, he receiving 234 votes, and his opponent, J. H. Gwin, receiving 207 votes. Fred M. Foster was elected City Marshal without opposition.

The liquor question had little or no place in the campaign.

SAN PEDRO.

MIXED RESULTS.

SAN PEDRO, April 14.—Today's municipal election resulted in the choice of Ben M. Baker, incumbent and independent candidate, as City Marshal, and O. C. Abbott, United Labor candidate as City Clerk. There are three city trusteeships to be filled. Edward Mahar, independent candidate and local agent for the Wilmington Transportation Company, is elected. James Weir, United Labor candidate, is also elected. For the third vacancy the choice lies between George H. Peck, Jr., independent candidate, and cashier of the Bank of San Pedro, and James T. Martin, United Labor candidate. The count is running close and the winner will not be determined till late tonight.

J. A. Weldt, independent, is elected City Treasurer.

There were 449 votes cast.

COVINA.

WILL STAY "DRY."

COVINA, April 14.—The present Board of City Trustees was entirely reelected today. The result is interpreted as an indorsement of the present "dry" policy on the liquor question. The Trustees are Eri G. Clapp, L. L. Ratekin, C. W. Potter, Thomas E. Finch and Joseph Moxley. The other officers elected are: Treasurer, F. M. Douglass; Clerk, James R. Hodges; Marshal, J. C. Fairly. There were 200 votes cast.

MONROVIA.

OFFICIALS RE-ELECTED.

MONROVIA, April 14.—The three City Trustees whose terms are about to expire were reëlected today. They are J. H. Bartle, W. A. Walker and W. Zimmerman. George O. Renner, City Clerk; J. F. Banning, City Treasurer, and E. C. Willets, City Marshal, were all reëlected by safe majorities.

LONG BEACH.

PROHIBITIONISTS WIN.

LONG BEACH, April 14.—The ticket backed by the Prohibitionists was the winner at the polls today. D. M. Cate and W. L. Campbell were elected City Trustees for four years, and O. D. Henderickson was elected for the two-year term. The other officers elected are: City Marshal, Thomas W. Williams; City Treasurer, C. L. Heartwell; City Clerk, W. B. Julian.

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ARIZONA.

DRASTIC COURSE TO SECURE WATER SUPPLY.

SALT RIVER RANCHERS WILL ENFORCE OLD DECISION.

May Deprive Newly-settled Sections of Much Needed Water—Legality of Proposed Irrigation Bonds Submitted to New York Expert for an Opinion.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) April 12.—Discussion of existing water problems in the district around Phoenix is always a warm subject with the farmers of the locality, and a number of suits affecting the flow of Salt River and the rights of the canals and water users are pending in the local courts, and indeed, even in the Supreme Court of the United States. Perhaps the most important move is to enforce, this summer, the Kibbey decision of October, 1892. The effect of this will be simply to deprive the Arizona and Consolidated Canals of any right to the river flow when it had reached a point less than the necessities of the Salt River Valley, Maricopa, Tempe and San Francisco ditches. Prior in point of appropriation, also, to the Arizona Canal, though materially subsequent to the canals just named, are the Utah, Mesa and Grand canals. Subsequent to the Arizona Canal are the Highland and Mesa Consolidated.

Heretofore, under a contract between the canals, the water for the north side of the valley has practically all been taken through the Arizona Canal, resulting in marked economy and lack of seepage. This north-side water so taken has been distributed equally between the Arizona, Grand, Maricopa and Salt River Valley ditches, to the detriment of the older canals, according to many of the old right holders. Late in the 80's the Arizona Improvement Company, which is practically the executive branch of the Arizona Canal Company, acquired 51 per cent. of the stock of the older north-side canals. How it happened that the agreement was signed for the equal distribution of water is therefore not hard to understand.

The Kibbey decision, given by Judge Joseph H. Kibbey, still an active practitioner at the bar of Phoenix, was a pioneer expression of the now generally-accepted doctrine that to the lands absolutely belong the water, and that the irrigating canals, when under separate ownership, are to be considered nothing more than common carriers, with much the same status that railroads possess. Its enforcement in the present case will mean that, during terms of scarcity the Salt River Valley Canal will be permitted to carry water for fully 100 quarter sections of land, the Tempe Canal for 70 quarter sections, the Maricopa Canal for 50 quarter sections and the San Francisco Canal for 22 quarter sections. This, at the accepted rate of sixty-four inches to the quarter section, would mean the using up of 15,000 inches of river flow and, unhappily, it must be admitted that the river got even below that point last year and will probably drop below it again this coming summer. The present supply is only about 30,000 inches.

Farmers in the oldersettled sections of the valley admit that the observance of the decree would simply mean ruin to several of the later-settled sections, but aver their intention to proceed actively in the enforcement of their rights in times of scarcity.

It is probable that the result of this drastic move will be the expediting of measures tending toward water storage above the Salt River Cañon. The act so painstakingly drawn by the County Board of Water Storage Commissioners was returned to the board by Judge Dillon of New York, to whom it had been submitted, with amendments designed to further secure bondholders in event of a default of interest payments. Southside water users succeeded in further amending the act by making its passage contingent upon approval by two-thirds of the taxpayers of the county, and not by the bare majority hitherto required. The amended bill, by which Congress is to authorize the county to issue $2,300,000 in bonds for the construction of a dam and reservoir, will be submitted again to Judge Dillon, and thereafter will be introduced in Congress by Delegate Smith. Dwight B. Heard, a member of the present commission, has gone to Washington on behalf of the county and commission to expedite, if possible, the passage of the measure through Congress, and to aid B. A. Fowler, who has spent three months in Washington in the interest of the Arizona farmers.

C. Rodney MacDonald has filed suit in the District Court against the County Board of Supervisors and their bondsmen, because of of the appropriations made by the board for the work of the water-storage commissioners, which approximate $7500. MacDonald claims that the act is illegal in that it is special legislation, forbidden by the Harrison Act. MacDonald's objection, however, seems to be the only one that has materialized.

BISBEE.

MINE SALE DENIED.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

BISBEE (Ariz.) April 12.—Superintendent Merrill of the Calumet and Arizona company has denied any knowledge of the reported deal whereby the officers of the South Bisbee Copper Mining Company have agreed to sell the property to the Calumet and Hecla company for $1,200,000. There is no doubt, however, that the offer has been made, though possibly by some other corporation than the great Michigan mining company. Ten thousand dollars is said to have been deposited in a Los Angeles bank as forfeit. Local stockholders believe the mine worth more than $1,200,000, and have raised $3500 to fight the sale. Several of the local stockholders have been asked to come to Los Angeles at once to consult with the Jones faction over the deal, all expenses to be paid, but have not gone.

NOT HARRIMAN PROPERTY.

Another little Huntington deal is understood to be contemplated in connection with the Gila Valley, Globe and Northern Railway, a line that connects Globe with the Southern Pacific at Bowie, 140 miles distant. The line is usually called the Garland road, its president and general manager being William Garland of Los Angeles. The line has always been considered peculiarly Southern Pacific property, but this is now denied and it is privately told that a majority of the stock is held by H. E. Huntington and not by the Harriman syndicate. The deal indicated is the transference of the property to Phelps, Dodge & Co., to be made a feeder to the El Paso and Southeastern, by means of a connecting link built between Solomonville and Guthrie, at the latter point to join the Arizona and New Mexico Railway, which, in turn, will soon connect with the Bisbee road at Hachita Junction. Phelps, Dodge & Co. own the United Globe copper mines at Globe, embracing fifty mining claims, from which ore is now shipped, though expensively, to the company's smelter at Bisbee. It is probable that the Globe mines will be made a considerable feeder to the new Douglas reduction works, and, of course, the question of transportation would be the most important one involved.

BISBEE BREVITIES.

A movement is on foot for the building of an electric railway between Bisbee and Naco, the latter point on the border line ten miles distant. The estimated cost is $300,000. Passenger travel between the two points is very heavy, perhaps twenty vehicles being engaged at the present time in the service.

Bisbee Incorporation appears to have developed a rather expensive luxury, and a movement is in progress already for disincorporation.

Dayton Graham, late City Marshal of Bisbee, has been appointed lieutenant of the Arizona Rangers.

The Bisbee City Council has found that one of its police officers is not an American citizen, and has therefore taken his star from him.

The foundation for a new operahouse, to cost $10,000, has been laid at Naco.

All danger of a smallpox epidemic is over in southern Arizona, and the last patient has been discharged from the Bisbee pesthouse.

A flowing well has been struck by the Napoleop Gold Mining Company, near Bisbee, at a depth of forty feet. Not only does the water fill up the shaft, but it flows down the cañon below for a considerable distance.

George McMillan, son of a wealthy Cleveland family, died at Naco lately after a continued spree.

George Ripley, aged 50 years, lately steward of the County Hospital at Tombstone, died at Douglas Sunday of pneumonia.

A. E. Nichols, Superintendent of Schools of Cochise county, and one of the leading Masons of Arizona, died at Williams yesterday.

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But we trust, after all, that his heart is not bad,
Though marking with him has become such a fad,
And though he's abused us, and oft made us sad,
We'll ne'er wish him sorrow nor woe;
But we hope that his sins he will sometimes regret,
And all of his faults we will try to forget,
For we know that there's trouble awaiting him yet,
In the place where the proofreaders go.
—[Potteree in Typographical Journal.

WORDS OF WISDOM.

It is only by labor that thought can be made healthy, and only by thought that labor can be made happy; and the two cannot be separated with impunity. —[Ruskin.

A truth is safe, and nothing else is safe; and he who keeps back the truth, or withholds it from men, from motives of expediency, is either a coward or a criminal, or both.—[Max Muller.

One secret act of self-denial, one sacrifice of inclination to duty, is worth all the mere thoughts, warm feelings, passionate prayers, in which idle people indulge themselves.—[J. H. Newman.

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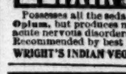

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It is poor economy to use poor quality lining with good dress material, for garments so made can not retain the shape, and the constant ripping and tacking soon wears out the goods. You will find the best of linings at the Hamburger Store and quality considered, prices are lower than elsewhere.

10c a Yard for Canvas worth 15c.
25-inch Pure Linen Canvas for stiffening and skirt facing; gray only. Special Tuesday leader a yard 10c

10c a Yard for Silesia worth 15c.
All the most wanted shades, also black, in 36-in. Silesia admirably adapted for skirt lining. The kind that other stores sell at 15c. Priced here at a yard 10c

10c a Yard Murella Cloth worth 15c.
We have just received 50 pieces of this superior lining which is a soft Percaline with Taffeta finish—shades of gray, tan, green, red, mode, bluette and cream; is full 36 inches wide and sells everywhere at 15c. Our Tuesday price a yard 10c

19c A Yard, Mercerized Sateen, worth 35c.
36-inch Colored Mercerized Sateen with a rich Moreen effect. Equally serviceable for petticoats, ruffles, also skirt and jacket lining. Choice range of colors. Actual 35c value priced here at a yard 19c

25c A Yard "Pensylk," worth 35c.
"Pensylk" is one of the most popular new linings on the the market, has a rich sheen finish and used greatly as a substitute for silk. It is 36 inches wide, in all the popular colors and good value at 35c a yard. Our special offer at 25c

6-Yard Moreen Skirt Pattern, $1.69.
6-Yard Lengths of fine Mercerized Moreen—each pattern sufficient amount for skirt with full flare flounce. They are choice, pretty-colored satin stripes on a dark ground, with contrasting fancy stripes; also plain Mercerized Moreen in shades of seagreen, cadet blue, lavender, purple, crimson and rose. This material priced by the yard elsewhere at 75c. A select assortment of these in full 6-yard patterns at, each $1.69

It's Time for Garden Hose.

¾-inch Three Ply Rubber Hose—very heavy; in 50 foot lengths including couplings. The regular price of this hose is 10c a foot. This week per 50 foot price $2.38

50-Foot Piece ¾-inch White Royal Cotton Water Hose—sold elsewhere at 12½c a foot. Our regular price 10c a foot. Special this week per piece $4.75

¾-inch Fine Red Rubber 5-ply Hose—including couplings with 25 to 50 foot lengths. It is guaranteed for one year and an extra value at per foot 12½c

THIRD FLOUR.

Sample Line Women's Hosiery

Monday's selling of the superb assortment of rich, new, dainty Hosiery—a manufacturer's sample line of 50c, 75c and $1.00 values—was of general interest. The hosiery department was crowded with customers from the opening to the closing of the store. The remainder of these splendid stockings will go on sale again this morning, and the entire lot should be closed out before night.

There are hundreds of pairs but not more than one or two pairs of a pattern. They include all the novelties of the season—polkadots in all the popular colorings on white grounds; allover black lace and drop stitch; fancy boot effects in plain and lace; embroidered ankle effects; plain and drop stitch Roman stripes; Scotch plaids with silk stripes; fancy designs on solid grounds; lace lisle velvet finished opera shades; lisle hose in plaid effects; and fine mercerized hose in plain colors. Absolutely the greatest hosiery bargain ever offered in Los Angeles. On sale at choice a pair 25c

A Notion Sale of Mammoth Proportions

What a big merchandising event this sale of little things has made. We expected a big sale it is true, but not the rush which crowded the notion bargain tables yesterday. It seemed that every work basket in the city must be empty so great was the demand for these little necessities, the value and utility of which every woman knows. Such small prices for reliable notions was never before known. We itemize but a small proportion of the hundreds of bargains.

De Long Hump Hooks and Eyes—all sizes, either black or white, two dozen to a card; regular price 10c. Sale price, per card 5c

Toilet Pins—of blued steel, white or jet heads in large cubes of 100 pins, full count, regular price 8c. Sale price 5c

Real whalebone—36 inches long. Regular price 17½c Sale price 10c

Whalebone Casing — all colors 9 yards to the piece, regular price 15c. Sale price 5c

Dress Shields—pure rubber covered on both sides; 2 sizes. Regular price 20c. Sale price 10c

Fancy Dress Buttons—in hundreds of patterns; from ½ to 2 doz. on a card. The regular prices are from 50c to $1.50 doz. Sale price per card 5c

Unbreakable Corset Steels, sateen covered. Regular price 15c. Sale price per pair 5c

Security Hair Pins—best wearing; all lengths; 36 inch paper. Regular price 5c. Sale price 2½c

Safety Pins—nickel plated, sizes 1, 2 and 3, assorted. One dozen to card. Regular price 6½c. Sale price 4c

"Pennant" brand Basting Cotton—Nos. 40, 50 and 60. 500 yard to spool. Regular price 5c. Sale price 4c

Shirt Buttons—made of sweet-water pearl, first quality; 3 sizes. Regular price 15c, 2 dozen on a card. Sale price 10c

Hose Supporters—made of fancy lisle web; safety pin top; all colors. Regular price 15c. Sale price 9c

Swanbill Hooks and Eyes — all sizes; black and white; two dozen on a card. Regular price 2½c. Sale price, 2 cards for 1c

Fancy Frill Garter Web—all colors. Regular price 10c. Sale price per yard 5c

Aluminum Thimbles—all sizes. Regular price 2½c. Sale price 1c

60-inch Tape Measure—regular price 5c. Sale price 3c

Colored Roll Braid—good quality worsted. 3 yards in piece. Regular price 5c. Sale price 2c

Steel and Bone Crochet Hooks, all desirable numbers. Sale price, each 3c

Black Laces for Women's low shoes, pair 1c

Unique Pin Cabinet—contains 150 assorted pins and hair pins. Regular price 10c. Sale price 7½c

Linen Corset Laces—2½ yrds. long; gray, black or white. Regular price 3c. Sale price 1c

Cotton Tape—black or gray only, 24 yards to piece. Regular price 25c. Sale price 8⅓c

Kid Curlers—glove stitched; all lengths and colors. Regular prices 7½c, 8½c and 10c. Sale price per bunch 5c

Dress Belting—1½ inches wide; superior quality. Regular price 15c. per piece of 9 yards Sale price 5c

Imported Tooth Brushes — warranted pure bristles. Regular price 15c. Sale price 8c

Curling Irons—steel prongs; soft wood handles. Each 4c

Curling Iron Heaters — nickel plated. Regular price 75c. Sale price 39c

Toilet Soap—Good size cakes. Sale price, each 1½c

Whisk Brooms—regular 15c kind. Sale price 7c

Pyralin Comb—same as celluloid; assorted colors, white, pink or blue. Worth 15c. Sale price 9c

White Cotton Soutache Braid—10 yards to piece. Regular price 2c. Sale price 1c

Hat Pins,—blue steel with jet heads, 1 dozen to card. Regular price 5c. Sale price 3c

Tan Shoe Laces 1½ yards long, price, a pair. 1c

Black Shoe Laces—1½ yds long, for women's shoes. Sale price, pair 1c

25c Gilt Edge Shoe Polish, per bottle 15c

Imitation Shell Hair Pins—superior quality, 12 in a box; regular price 15c. Sale price 12½c

Buttonhole Scissors—nickel plated, good quality, graduated gauge. Regular price 35c. Sale price, a pair 25c

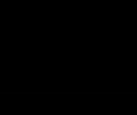
9-inch Nickel Plated Shears—brass bolt rivet, threaded and finished with screw head and nut, extra strong, family size, regular 35c value. Sale price a pair 25c

Crochet Cotton in boxes of 10 spools each, all the most desirable colors, plain and mixed, regular price 40c a box. Sale price 15c

50c Box, 3 Cakes, Anita Toilet Soap, 25c.

For Tuesday's big merchandising leader we place on sale 500 boxes of the well known Anita Toilet Soap, 3 cakes in a box. The regular price is 20c per cake or 50c per box. It is one of the purest of toilet soaps made from the purest of vegetable oils and scented with the rarest of perfumes. It is harmless, soothing, healing and may be used on the tenderest skin. We limit this sale one box to a customer, cannot fill any telephone orders and only 500 boxes are to be sold at this place. It is a rare chance of getting the finest soaps at price for ordinary wares 25c

Odd Lots Open Stock China.



In going through our reserve China stock preparatory to placing the goods on shelves, we have taken a number of pieces which are the remnants of odd lines of Chinaware; some pieces slightly damaged, but the majority high grade goods, and will place them in one large assortment for a clearance Tuesday. This ware is mostly white semi-porcelain including some heavy hotel ware. Prices about one-third to one-half actual value,

5 inch plates worth $1.00 dozen, cut to 59c.
6 inch plates worth $1.20 dozen, cut to 68c.
7 inch plates worth $1.50 dozen, cut to 74c
2½ inch oblong bakers worth $1.10 dozen, cut to 74c.
1 pint pitchers worth 20c each, cut to 9c.
1½ pint pitchers worth 23c each, cut to 11c.
1 qt. pitchers worth 27c each, cut to 13c.
4 qt. pitchers worth 60c each, cut to 29c.
2½ inch ind. platters worth 8½c each, cut to 5½c.
3 inch ind. platters worth 9c each, cut to 6c.
3½ inch ind. platters worth 10c each, cut to 6½c.
4 inch ind. platters worth 12c each, cut to 6½c.
5 inch ind. platters worth 12c each, cut to 6½c.
6 inch ind. platters worth 15c each, cut to 7c.
7 inch ind. platters worth 16c each, cut to 8c.
8 inch ind. platters worth 17c each, cut to 10c.
9 inch ind. platters worth 18c each, cut to 12c.
8 inch ice cream dishes worth 45c dozen, cut to 24c.
8½ inch ice cream dishes worth 50c dozen, cut to 24c.
4 inch sauce dishes worth 50c dozen, cut to 25c.
Heavy handled tea cups and saucers worth $1.40 dozen, cut to 90c.
Heavy handled tea cups and saucers, medium size, worth $1.80 dozen, cut to 80c.
Heavy handled coffee cups and saucers, medium size, worth $1.80 dozen, cut to 90c.
Heavy handled coffee cups and saucers, medium size, worth $1.40 dozen, cut to $1.00.
1½ pint bowls worth 12c each, cut to 6c.
Bone dishes worth 12c each, cut to 7c.
Individual butters worth 85c dozen, cut to 28c.
Light weight cups and saucers, fancy shapes, worth $1.00 per set of 6, cut to 47c.

THIRD FLOOR.

25c for Ladies' Lislethread Vests, worth 35c.
Ladies' Lislethread Vests—silk taped neck; sleeveless—pink, blue or white. Good 35c values at 25c

68c Pr. Kid Gloves, worth $1.25.
Select line of $1.25 Kid Gloves—Glace or Mocha; Pique or cable sewed—black, brown, tan, mode, blue or green. Nearly all sizes in the lot. Tuesday's extra a pair 68c

50c "Amsterdam" Silk Gloves.
The "Amsterdam" Silk Gloves—have double tip, are prettily embroidered, exceptionally well made and are in black, mode, gray, tan, pearl and white. Good values at 75c. A leader for Tuesday a pair 50c

$3.98 for Walking Skirts, worth $5.
Oxford Gray Walking Skirt with graduated flounce; perfect fitting and actually worth $5.00. A leader for Tuesday only $3.98

$6.98 Tailored Suits, worth $12.50.
Selected Line of all Wool Homespun Tailor Made Suits—jacket made with vest; skirt has graduated flounce. An actual $12.50 value. A choice line of these suits goes on sale Tuesday at $6.98

SECOND FLOOR.

15c for Ladies' Summer Vests, worth 25c.
Ladies' Swiss Ribbed Cotton Vests—low neck and sleeveless; the neck and arms prettily trimmed with crocheted edge and silk tape. Regular 25c values. Tuesday each 15c

"Cream" of Cream All-Wool Dress Goods.

Is there aught prettier than a dainty gown of delicate cream shade on a graceful figure? The devotees of fashion, with one accord this season, are cream shades in all of the wool dress stuffs. Nor will their uses be confined to the reception room, for outing costumes of those textiles that will launder nicely, not wrinkle, and will shake off the dust will be greatly in demand. Billow upon billow of these creamy textiles are at the Hamburger store for your approval and selection.

50c A Yard—56-inch All Wool Cream Albatross.
10 pieces of this beautiful, soft, clingy material for street and evening wear; has crepe effect, very rich appearing and equally desirable for waists and suits; will launder nicely and will not shrink; is pure wool and an extra good value at the price.

50c A Yard—36-inch Imported Mohair Cream Brilliantine.
An extra good quality of cream Brilliantine for waists, skirts and suits. Equally desirable for evening wear as for outing garments; has rich silk Mohair finish; both sides finished alike; will launder nicely; is made of imported Mohair wool yarn; will neither wrinkle nor hold dust.

75c A Yard—46-inch All Wool Cream Batiste.
A soft, clingy textile for tucked waists and skirts for street and evening wear; is smooth, fine weave; will neither fray nor sag, is easily tucked, will launder nicely, will not shrink; both sides finished alike and is made of all pure wool.

75c A Yard—28-inch Corded Satin Striped Cream Challie.
These handsome materials have a rich, elegant satin stripe and the weave is soft and clingy. The corded Challie has but a slight raised effect, very soft and beautiful, both of which will launder nicely, and are very durable and firm and are pure silk and wool.

75c A Yard—45-inch Cream Mohair Brilliantine.
Has a rich silk Mohair finish; both sides alike; will neither wrinkle nor hold dust; will launder nicely; will not shrink. This goods is an imported fabric. Every yard guaranteed for satisfactory wear.

75c A Yard—46-inch All Wool Cream Mistral and Crepe Egypta.
This Mistral is very sheer and open weave in rough effect but soft and clingy. The Crepe Egypta is soft with a Crepe effect—just the thing for the new draping skirt. Both materials are strictly all wool and good value at $1.00.

$1.00 A Yard—50 inch All Wool Cream Cheviot Serge.
Cream wool Serge is very popular just now for summer suits and skirts. It has small twill effect, a short glossy nap and is a rich, lustrous Mohair finish and will not hold dust or spot. It is made of all wool Mohair wool yarn and will not wrinkle. It is equally desirable for yachting suits and evening wear.

$1.00 A Yard—Tucked and Corded Cream Wool Waistings.
All the new weaves and patterns for waists, including 27 inch all wool corded Empress Cloth; 22 inch tucked Nuns Veiling; 22 inch tucked Granite and Henrietta with small cords interspersed. These are all washable fabrics and will launder equal to new. These are our own importation and can not be matched on the Pacific Coast.

$1.25 A Yard—46-inch All-Wool Cream Crash Cloth.
The very latest weave for yachting and tennis suits—is of coarse weave with a rich silk Mohair finish; extra good weight which requires no lining; both sides finished alike; shows stitching to good advantage; is pure Mohair wool yarn and will neither hold dust nor wrinkle.

$1.50 A Yard—Choice of These Silks and Wool Cream Materials.
An unexcelled assortment of new spring cream fabrics for street and evening wear, including 44-inch silk and wool Aeolians, 42-inch silk and wool lansdownes, 44-inch silk and wool Crepe with silk polkadots, 46-inch all wool Bedford Cord, 45-inch all silk and wool Voiles. These materials are soft, clingy, prettily draping and very popular for waists and the new tucked skirts.

$2.00 A Yard—52-inch All Wool Cream Satin Venetian.
This material has a rich satin finish—small twill effect; will not rub or fuzz up; is much richer than Broadcloath; shows stitching to good advantage; is properly sponged and will not spot; is made of imported wool yard and is of good weight which requires no lining. Equally desirable for street or outing wear.

$2.00 A Yard—44 inch Cream Silk Figured Aeolian.
This is a French Aeolians of sheer weave, soft and clingy. Mostly used for evening gowns. It has small Crepe cord effect with silk figures; is of pure silk and wool; can be made over colored linings and is very effective for the new draping skirts.

Exquisite Daintiness in "Tub"

For beauty of pattern, harmonizing effect of color quality and lowness of price—no store west of show such magnificent assortments as line the counters and fill the aisles in our Wash Goods suit. There is not a fancy we cannot please or a purse

Circassian Lawns, dark ground colorings with medallion and scroll patterns; fetching color combinations; fine even finish; 30 inches wide, at 12½c

Linen Batiste—a linen colored Batiste with a plain background dotted and figured in blue, green, red, etc.—new and stylish effects and a sheer finish. Extra wide, at 12½c

Dimity Cords—new effects in black and white and fancy colored mixtures, stripes and fancy patterns—fast colors and full width, at 12½c

Persian Lawns—in figures and stripes on white and tinted grounds—effective and striking patterns. All the latest colorings 12½c

Zephyrs, sheer weave with tinted and mottled grounds in pretty shades of pink, blue, gray and rose; mercerized stripes and stitch edge effects. Appropriate for evening gowns, at 25c

Swisses—new figures, pretty mercerized stripes and exceptionally attractive patterns in lace effects and large leaf designs, 27 inches wide. per yard 25c

Silk Sheens—a ric in pretty nations, black figures and clingy, silky exceptionally luster, 30 in. wide, at .....

Persian Lawns black lawns, sheer, uniform ty for gowns 32 inches wide, at .....

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Madras Waistings rich silk finish embroidered stripes pretty tinted grounds inches wide, per yard .....

Zephyr Waistings ported kind in new band stripes and tion patterns—sty ings in contrasting effects; 30 inches wide, at .....

April's Book Sale

The following choice volumes just added to this week's matchless

Kings of the Platform and Pulpit—reminiscences and lectures of the great lecturers and divines, by Mellville D. Landon (Eli Perkins). This book contains 670 pages, is profusely illustrated and handsomely bound in cloth; publisher's price $3.50. Sale price

Encyclopedia of Comedy—by Mellville a 500-page book filled with witty cross gags, humorous poetry, recitations, funny stories, conundrums, stump speeches, other funny miscellaneous matter. The is handsomely bound in cloth, stamped in and colors. Publisher's price $1.50. Sale

Successful Houses—by Oliver Colscriptions of well furnished houses and householders, with 100 illustrations of interiors; nicely bound in cloth; publisher's price $1.50. Sale price

The Every Day Cook Book—an practical recipes for family use, by Miss economical, reliable and excellent; contains 315 pages, is bound in oil cloth. Publisher's price $1. Sale price

The Old Missions of California—old Missions in beautiful colors, with each by Rev. Ernest Wharburton Shurtleff, bound in artistic board covers. Publisher's price $2.50. Sale price

Shakespeare—The fine Avon edition is edited by W. G. Clark and W. A. Wright, trations by Meadows, Firth and others; largest type and best 1-vol. edition published; publisher's price $2.00; sale price

Phenomena of Nature or the World's —the people's handy reference book of edited by Wm. Denovan—500 engravings, mezzotints, 648 pages beautifully bound in Publisher's price $2.00. Sale price

Moyle's Games—America's complete of games containing all card games with regulations, and technicalities adapted to mode of playing; from the text of Hoyle's modern authors. It also comprises rules for mon, chess, checkers, billiards, pool, fug with numerous diagrams and engravings. Well bound in cloth. Publisher's price $1.25. Sale price

The Famous Adventures of the stories told in prose by E. Veale with 100 trations by Palmer Cox. Publisher's price $1.00. Sale price

Three Popular Books at Half Price—and Her German Garden. Black Rock, by Bettersworth, by J. G. Holland. These books are from large, clear type, on good paper and neatly cloth. Publisher's price 50c. Sale price

Millinery Extras.

That we may the more forcibly impress on the public mind that "Hamburger" - made millinery is without an equal on the entire Pacific Coast, we have selected two matchless assortments of stylish headwear for Tuesday's special selling which cannot be duplicated at double the price at any Los Angeles store.

$1.50—Women's Ready-to-Wear Turbans.
A select assortment of black hair braid on wire frame with drape and knot of hair braid, ished with black quills. Possessing all the daintiness of the most popular Eastern and are actual $2.50 values. Tuesday special

The "Coronation"—a beautiful summer the most popular of any this season. It is worn women or misses. It is made of soft Cubes shape with wide flare brim trimmed with soft streamers edged with cream Valenciennes roses, American Beauty roses, foliage, silk and black velvet ribbons. This hat would choice value at double our sale price, A leader for Tuesday, only

SECOND FLOOR.

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